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Location of BOXES and SIGNALS

12	Thacher Street and Warren Avenue	3223	Sisters of St. Joseph Mother House, 444 Centre Street
121	Thacher Street, near Kahler Avenue	323	Centre Street, at No. 521
122	Thacher Street and Brook Road	34	Pleasant Street and Gun Hill Street
123	Saint Mary's and Crane Roads	341	Pleasant Street and Edge Hill Road
13	Blue Hill Terrace and Crown Street	342	Milton Convalescent Home, Edge Hill Road
131	Warren Avenue and Dyer Avenue	343	Gerald Road and Pleasant Street
132	Audubon Road and Harold Street	3431	Edge Hill Road at Junior High School
133	Parkway Crescent, at No. 28	344	Lawrence Road and Barton Lane
134	Ferncroft Road and Pagoda Street	345	Murray Avenue and Hoy Terrace
135	Ferncroft Road and Savin Street	346	Mathaurs Street at Clay Street
136	Decker Street and Essex Road	347	Gerald Road and Phyllis Lane
137	Hudson Street and Pagoda Circle	35	Hillside Street, at No. 59
14	Blue Hill Avenue and Oak Street	351	Randolph Avenue, near Town Line
141	Pagoda Street and Blue Hill Avenue	352	Randolph Ave., opposite Nahanton Ave.
142	Cheever Street, at No. 23	353	Nahanton Avenue and Brewster Road
143	Brush Hill and Brook Roads	36	Highland and Reed Streets
144	Lothrop Avenue and Verndale Road	361	Randolph Avenue and Pleasant Street
145	Aberdeen Road, at No. 36	362	Randolph and Hallen Avenues
146	Concord Avenue, at No. 45	363	Marshall Road
147	Brush Hill Road and Cheever Street	37	Central Fire Station
15	Houston Ave. and Blue Hills Parkway	371	Thacher Street and Central Avenue
151	Oak Street and Blue Hills Parkway	372	High School, Central Ave. and Brook Rd.
153	Kahler Ave. and Blue Hills Parkway	373	Lantern and Thompson Lanes
154	50 Dyer Avenue	374	Central Avenue and Brook Road
16	Brook and Brandon Roads	375	Cape Cod Lane, near Brook Road
161	Hinckley and Ridge Roads	376	Magnolia and Bonad Roads
162	Windsor and Greenleaf Roads	38	Highland Street, near Spafford Road
163	Brook and Marilyn Roads	381	Highland Street and Martin Road
164	Allerton and Standish Roads	3812	Milton Hospital, 92 Highland Street
165	Ridge and Columbine Roads	39	Reedsdale Road, at No. 287
17	Blue Hill Avenue and Brush Hill Road (Mattapan)	391	Canton Avenue and Reedsdale Road
*172	Boston, cross River at Mattapan	392	Canton Avenue and Voses Lane
18	Eliot and Capen Streets	393	Coolidge Road and Centre Lane
181	Eliot Street and Hinckley Road	4	Walter Baker Chocolate Mills
182	Cliff and Byrne Roads	41	Canton and Whitelawn Avenues
19	Eliot Street and Hawthorne Road	412	School Street, at No. 167
191	Curtis Road, at Lumber Yard	4121	New Glover School, Canton Avenue
192	Fairfax Road and Virginia Street	413	School Street, near Griggs Lane
21	Brush Hill Road and Atherton Street	42	Randolph Avenue and School Street
211	Wolcott Road and Dill Street	421	Brook Road and Churchills Lane
*22	NO SCHOOL	43	Adams Street, Milton Village, at No. 71
23	Brush Hill and Bradlee Roads	431	Morton and Westside Roads
2312	Curry College, 848 Brush Hill Road	4312	Milton Savings Bank, Milton Village
24	Brush Hill Road, at No. 676	*432	Boston, cross River at Milton Village
25	Brush Hill and Smith Roads	45	Maple Street, at No. 40
251	Beacon Street and Smith Road	*452	Boston, cross River at Central Avenue
26	Brush Hill Rd. and Metropolitan Ave.	453	Central Avenue and Eliot Street
27	Blue Hill Avenue and Robbins Street	46	Central Avenue and Hinckley Road
271	Truro Lane and Sumner Street	461	Central Avenue and Valley Road
272	Lafayette Street, at No. 43	462	Columbine Road and Allerton Rd.
3	Police Call	47	Canton Avenue and Brook Hill Road
31	Pleasant and Maitland Streets	48	Eliot Street and Oak Road
311	Randolph Avenue and Reedsdale Road	481	Eliot Street and Valley Road
312	Town Barn, Highway Dept., at 629 Randolph Avenue	5	Canton Avenue and Holmes' Lane
313	Randolph Avenue and Artwill Street	51	Canton Avenue, at No. 790
314	Hillside and Forest Streets	511	Wendell Park and Channing Street
315	Hillside Street and Blue Hill River Rd.	512	Governor Stoughton Lane
316	Silver Brook Road	513	Gulliver and Channing Streets
32	Randolph Avenue and Centre Street	514	Elm Street
321	Milton Academy, Boys' Dormitory	5131	Charles Sumner Pierce School
322	Centre Street and Paradise Road	52	Canton Avenue and Robbins Street
3221	Fontbonne Academy, 430 Brook Road	521	Blue Hills Parkway, at No. 543

*Special Signals.

522 Mingo Street, at No. 61
 523 The Ledgeway and Canton Avenue
 53 Blue Hill Avenue and Atherton Street
 531 Canton Avenue and Atherton Street
 532 Jeanne D'Arc Academy, Blue Hill Avenue
 54 Canton Avenue, at No. 1435
 541 Blue Hill Avenue, Milton Street and Dollar Lane
 542 Canton Avenue, at No. 1630
 56 Blue Hill Avenue and Brush Hill Road (Blue Hill)
 561 Brush Hill Road, at No. 1372
 5612 St. Columban Missionary College, 1200 Brush Hill Road
 *562 Canton
 57 Milton Street, at No. 75
 6 Belcher School, Church Street
 61 Randolph Ave. and Hutchinson St.
 62 Adams Street and Churchills Lane
 621 Forbes Road
 63 Adams Street, at No. 303
 632 St. Agatha's Convent, No. 366 Adams St.
 64 Adams, Centre and Pleasant Streets
 641 Adams and Rowe Streets
 6412 St. Agatha's School, Adams Street
 642 Pleasant Street and Gordon Road
 643 Brook Road and Pleasant Street
 644 Brook and Reservation Roads
 645 Pillon and Taft Roads
 646 Hurlcroft Road and Cabot Street
 647 Adams Street and Brook Road
 648 Cary Avenue, at No. 80
 649 California Avenue, at No. 54
 65 Edge Hill Road and Otis Street
 651 Huntington Road, at No. 63
 652 State and Sheldon Streets
 653 Edge Hill Road and Plymouth Avenue

654 Governors and Warner Roads
 67 Granite Avenue and Adams Street (East Milton Square)
 671 Pierce Street, near Pond Street
 *672 Quincy
 673 Mechanic Street and Granite Avenue
 68 Granite Place and Brackett Street
 69 Washington and Howard Streets
 691 Adams Street, near Town Line
 71 Granite Avenue, near Bassett Street
 712 Granite Avenue and Squantum Street
 72 Antwerp Street and Emerson Road
 721 Wood and Church Streets
 722 Franklin Street, at No. 136
 723 Howe Street, near Mayhew Road
 724 Emerson and Osborne Roads
 725 Collamore Street, at No. 33
 73 Granite Avenue and Courtland Circle
 731 Barney & Carey Co., Granite Avenue
 74 Squantum and Church Streets
 741 Denmark Ave. and Squantum Street
 75 Hope Ave. and Cedar Terrace Street
 *8 Mutual Aid to Quincy
 *8212 Mutual Aid to Boston
 **91 Canton Avenue at Blue Hill Avenue
 **92 Harland Street and Unquity Road
 **93 M.D.C. Police Station, Blue Hills
 **94 Forest Street at Quincy Line
 **95 Randolph Avenue and Chickatawbut Road
 **96 Randolph Avenue and Highland Street
 **97 Boy Scout Camp, Unquity Road

*Special Signals

**Special Signals for Fires in the Blue Hills Reservation

Directions for Sounding an Alarm

Open outside door of Fire Alarm Box, then pull the hook down ONCE and let go. Remain at Box until arrival of Firemen and direct them to Fire.

Signals

1 One blow, 7:30 A.M., 12M., 5:45 P.M., Fire Alarm Tests.

1—1 Two blows, Recall.

1—1—1 Three blows followed by four rounds of box number, GENERAL ALARM.

Signals for No School

The signal 2—2 sounded four times on the fire alarm at:

7:15 A.M., means no school sessions for all schools for entire day.

7:30 A.M., means no school for all schools below the Junior High School for the entire day.

11:40 A.M., means no afternoon sessions for all schools below the Junior High School—this signal will not be sounded if the 7:15 signal has been sounded.

The 7:15 A.M. signal will rarely be sounded as it includes the closing of the High and Junior High Schools.

If the 7:15 A.M. signal is given, the 7:30 A.M. signal will be unnecessary.

FRED E. WHELAN, Chief of Department.

Emergency call for Fire Dept. should be "Milton Fire Department—Emergency"

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STREET DIRECTORY

STREET DIRECTORY

NAME	FROM	TO	Length		Type	Width	Public	Private	Year Accepted
			Feet	Miles					
Aberdeen Road	Brush Hill Rd.	Blue Hill Ave.	886	.17	B.M.	40	886		1931
Academy Lane	Reedsdale Road	Private Land	213	.04	D.	40	213	213	
Adams Court	Adams St.	Bassett St.	304	.06	D.	10	304	304	1798, 1800 1889
Adams Street	Town line at Dorchester	Town line at Quincy	11290	2.14	B.C.	40-75	11290		
Adanac Road	Blue Hill Ave.	Truro Lane	740	.14	B.M. & B.C.	50	244	496	1952
Adrian Road	Blue Hill River Rd.	Private Land	462	.08	B.C.	50	244	462	1954
Albert Place	Alvin Avenue	Public Land	143	.02	D.	40	143	143	
Alden Road	Grafton Ave.	Plymouth Ave.	300	.06	D.	40		300	
Allen Circle	Eliot St.	Private Land	612	.11	B.M.	40	612		1936
Allerton Road	Central Ave.	Columbine Rd.	1754	.33	B.C., B.G. & G.	40-50	544	1210	1952
Alvin Avenue	Town line at Quincy	Public Land	1720	.33	B.C. & G. & D.	40-50	880	840	1947, 1951
Amor Road	Brush Hill Rd.	Private Land	653	.12	D.	50		653	
Andrews Road	Babcock St.	Private Land	276	.05	B.G.	40	276		1906
Annapolis Road	Blue Hill Ave.	Truro Lane	629	.12	B.C.	50		629	
Antwerp Street	Squantum St.	Granite Ave.	1555	.30	B.C. & B.M.	40	1555		1927, 1940
Artwill Street	Randolph Ave.	Reedsdale Rd.	883	.17	B.G.	30-40	883		1907
Ash Street	Lynman Rd.	Private Land	400	.08	D.	40		400	
Atherton Street	Brush Hill Rd.	Mingo Street	7550	1.43	B.G., G. & D.	30-40 & 50	3283	4267	1931, 1932 1935
Audubon Road	Warren Ave.	Parkway Crescent	2068	.39	B.C., B.M. & D.	40-50	1514	554	1939
Augusta Road	Squantum St.	Pillon Rd.	352	.07	B.C.	40	352		
Austin Street	Blue Hill Ave.	Blue Hills Parkway	465	.09	B.C.	32	465		1898
Avalon Road	Eliot St.	Lancaster Lane	876	.17	B.M.	40	876		1930
Babcock Street	Adams St.	Hollis St.	408	.08	B.G.	40	408		1906
Badger Circle	Pleasant Street	Pleasant St.	1015	.19	B.C.	50	1015		1953
Bailey Avenue	Pleasant St.	Private Land	580	.11	B.C.	40	580		1946
Ballou Street	Pond St.	Town line at Quincy	114	.02	B.C.	40	114		1947
Barnard Avenue	Adams St.	Brook Road	1070	.20	D.	40		1070	
Bartons Lane	Fullers Lane	Glendale Road	658	.12	B.C.	40-50	658		1955
Bassett Street	Church St.	Granite Ave.	740	.14	B.M.	40	740		1929
Bates Road	Granite Place	Belcher Circle	451	.09	B.G.	33	451		1904
Beacon Street	Town line at Hyde Park	Brush Hill Road	1970	.37	B.G. & D.	40	310	1660	1891
Beacon St. Circle	Beacon St.	Beacon St.	1053	.20	D.	40		1053	
Beale Street	Town line at Milton St.	Town line 170 ft. east of Eaton St.					*		
Beech Street	Mathaurs St.	Lynman Rd.	303	.06	D.	40		303	
Belcher Circle	Granite Place	Howe St.	1107	.21	B.G.	33	1107		1904
Belvoir Road	Blue Hill Ave.	Blue Hills Parkway	638	.12	B.G.	40	638		1917
Berlin Avenue	Squantum St.	Private Land	571	.11	B.C.	40	571		1946

* All in Quincy

C.C. = Cement Concrete
B.C. = Bituminous ConcreteB.M. = Bituminous Macadam
B.G. = Bituminous GravelG. = Gravel
D. = Dirt

STREET DIRECTORY

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NAME	FROM	TO	Length		Type	Width	Public	Private	Year Accepted
			Feet	Miles					
Birch Street	Mathaurs St.	Lyman Rd.	300	.06	D.	30			
Blue Hill Avenue	Blue Hills Parkway	Canton Ave.	17423	3.30	B.M.	55-66	*	300	1859
Blue Hills Parkway	Town line at Mattapan	Canton Ave.	7900	1.50	B.M.	120	†		1877
Blue Hill River Rd.	Hillside Street	Town line at Quincy	5800	1.10	B.M.	60	††		
Blue Hill Terrace St.	Blue Hill Ave.	Blue Hills Parkway	1313	.25	B.M.	40	1313		1901, 1906
Bonad Road	Clapp St.	Fairbanks Rd.	592	.11	B.C.	40	592		1940
Boulevard Street	Edge Hill Rd.	Bryant Ave.	314	.06	B.C.	45	314		1889
Brackett Street	Granite Place	Washington St.	533	.10	B.G.	30	533		1889
Bradford Road	Pleasant St.	Private land	647	.12	B.C. & D.	40	525	122	1932
Bradlee Road	Brush Hill Rd.	Blue Hill Ave.	2300	.44	B.M.	60-100	2300		1895
Brae Burn Road	Pleasant St.	Hillcrest Rd.	883	.17	B.M.	40	883		1931
Brandon Road	Brook Rd.	Hinckley Rd.	772	.15	B.M.	40	772		1927
Breck Street	Thacher St.	Clapp St.	395	.07	B.M.	40	395		1929
Brewster Road	Sassamon Ave.	Private land	385	.07	D.	40		385	
Briarfield Road	Eliot St.	Brook Rd.	893	.17	B.G.	40	893		1920
Brook Lane	Hillside Street	Randolph Ave.	1810	.34	D.	20-30		1810	
Brook Road	Brush Hill Rd.	Adams St.	15900	3.01	B.C., B.M. & B.G.	40-100	15900		1871, 1901
Brook Hill Road	Eliot St.	Canton Ave.	1365	.26	B.M.	40	1365		1895
Brookside Park	Brook Hill Rd.	Pine Tree Brook	365	.07	B.G.	65	365		1901
Brush Hill Lane	Brush Hill Rd.	Town line at Hyde Park	900	.17	B.C.	40		900	
Brush Hill Road	Blue Hills Parkway	Canton Ave.	19252	3.65	C.C. & B.M.	40-55	19252		
Bryant Avenue	Adams St.	Town line at Quincy	1508	.28	B.G.	40	1508		1877
Buckingham Road	Reedsdale Rd.	Highland St.	1116	.21	B.C.	40	1116		1942
Buntin Street	Brackett St.	Washington St.	714	.13	B.G.	30	714		1907, 1925
Byrne Road	Cape St.	Cliff Rd.	332	.06	B.C.	50	332		1951
Cabot Street	Cary Avenue	Private land	1967	.37	B.C. & G.	40-50	1527	440	1938, 39, 49
California Avenue	Squantum St.	Lochland St.	1080	.20	B.C.	50	1080		1950, 1954
Canton Avenue	Adams St.	Town line at Canton	24493	4.64	B.C. & B.M.	40-60	†††		1873, 1897
Cantwell Road	Eliot St.	Private land	468	.09	B.C.	30	468		1922
Cape Cod Lane	Brook Rd.	Canton Ave.	615	.12	B.C.	40	615		1939
Cape Street	Eliot St.	Neponset River Reservation	1436	.27	B.M. & B.G.	40	1436		1895, 1901
Cary Avenue	Adams St.	Cabot St.	1521	.29	B.C. & B.M.	40-60	1521		1931, 1939
Catherine Road	Blue Hills Parkway	Audubon Rd.	469	.09	B.C.	40	469		1938
Cedar Road	Edge Hill Rd.	Town line at Quincy	1744	.33	D.	40		1744	
Cedar Terrace Street	Squantum St.	Private land	1091	.21	B.M. & D.	40	893		1930
Central Avenue	Town line at Dorchester	Thacher St.	6307	1.19	B.C. & B.M.	40-74	6307		1897
Centre Lane	Centre Street	Coolidge Road	1303	.25	G. & B.C.	50	890	413	1955
Centre Street	Reedsdale Rd.	Adams St.	7441	1.41	B.C. & B.M.	30-50	7441		1822, 1897

* (State) 17423

† (State) 7900

†† (State) 5800

††† (State) 1234

†††† (Town) 23259

STREET DIRECTORY

Century Lane	Edge Hill Rd.	Pleasant Street	16 B.C.	40	828	1942
Channing Street	Wendell Park	Public land	13 D.	50	684	1899
Cheever Street	Brush Hill Road	Blue Hill Avenue	23 B.G.	40	1197	1952
Chevy Drive	Marr Crest Rd.	Forbes Road	17 B.C.	50	864	1938
Chesterfield Road	Pleasant Street	Houghton Road	11 B.C.	40	592	1904
Chilton Park	Revere Street	Grove Street	06 D.	50	316	1888, 1914 1931, 1936
Church Circle	Belcher Circle	Church Street	05 B.G.	36	273	1930
Church Street	Adams Street	Squantum Street	52 B.C. & B.M. & B.G.	40	2734	1878
Churchills Lane	Adams Street	Centre St.	54 B.G.	20-30	2886	1942
Churchill Street	Blue Hill Ave.	Blue Hills Parkway	17 B.M.	30	913	1923
Clapp Street	Breck St.	Thacher St.	38 B.G.	40	2019	1922, 1944 1935
Clark Road	Elton Rd.	Bartons Lane	08 B.C.	40-50	2019	1914, 1915 1878
Clay Street	Rose St.	Private land	09 D.	40	406	1910
Cliff Road	Eliot St.	McT. Transit Authority	36 B.G.	40	1902	1927, 1930
Clifton Road	Reedsdale Rd.	Highland St.	23 B.G. & B.C.	40	1229	1953
Collamore Street	Church St.	Alvin Ave.	15 B.C.	40	780	1949
Columbia Park	Brook Rd.	Private land	05 B.G.	40	292	1939, 1940
Columbine Road	Eliot St.	Central Ave.	48 B.G.	40	2540	1951, 1953 1938
Concord Avenue	Brush Hill Rd.	Blue Hill Ave.	19 B.M.	40	1022	1926, 1945 1918
Conway Road	Bailey Ave.	Lynan Rd.	05 D.	40	244	1953
Coollidge Road	Reedsdale Rd.	Private land	13 B.C.	50	686	1949
Cottage Place	Pleasant St.	Private land	08 B.C.	30	447	1939, 1940
Courtland Circle	Granite Ave.	Courtland Circle	18 B.C.	50	975	1951, 1953 1938
Craig Street	Blue Hill Avenue	Private land	19 B.C.	50	1033	1926, 1945 1918
Crane Road	Thacher St.	Saint Mary's Rd.	05 B.C.	50	290	1953
Crown Street	Blue Hill Terrace St.	Decker St.	20 B.G., B.C. & D.	40	780	1953
Curtis Road	Blue Hills Parkway	Eliot St.	12 B.G.	40	647	1953
Cushing Road	Brush Hill Road	Private land	30 D.	40-50	1585	1953
Cypress Road	Pleasant St.	Private land	07 D.	21	391	1953
Dahlgren Street	Alvin Avenue	Town line at Quincy	01 D.	40	52	1887
Dana Avenue	Brush Hill Road	Town line at Hyde Pk.	09 B.M.	50	497	1936
Darby Road	Thacher St.	St. Mary's Rd.	06 B.M.	50	319	1955
Dean Road	Pleasant Street	Pine Avenue	09 B.C.	30	500	1955
Decker Street	Blue Hill Ave.	Blue Hills Parkway	27 B.C. & D.	30	561	1936, 1942 1945
Denmark Avenue	Squantum St.	Private land	13 B.C.	40	663	1954
Dexter Street	Norman St.	Lafayette St.	14 B.C.	40	790	1954
Dollar Lane	Blue Hill Ave.	Canton Ave.	08 B.M.	50	398	1954
Dudley Lane	Adams St.	Public land	45 G. & D.	40	2400	1904, 1910 1889, 93, 98, 1930 1938
Dyer Avenue	Blue Hills Parkway	Warren Ave.	29 B.M. & B.G.	50	1528	1954
Eaton Street	Washington St.	Town line at Quincy	10 B.G.	40	528	1954
Edge Hill Road	Pleasant St.	Adams St.	85 B.C. & B.M.	50-73	4471	1954
Edward Avenue	Wyndmere Rd.	Private land	09 B.C.	50	453	1954

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NAME	FROM	TO	Length		Type	Width	Public	Private	Year Accepted
			Feet	Miles					
Eileen Road	Blue Hill River Rd.	Private land	321	.06	B.C.	50	321		1954
Eliot Circle	Eliot St.	Private land	212	.04	B.C.	30	212		1914, 1916
Eliot Street	Adams St.	Blue Hills Parkway	7470	1.41	B.C. & B.M.	40-55	7470		1882, 88, 93
Eliot Avenue	Alvin Avenue	Town line at Quincy	80	.01	B.C.	50		80	
Ellsworth Road	St. Agatha Rd.	Private land	214	.04	D.	40		214	
Elm Lawn	Canton Avenue	Private land	250	.05	D.	30		250	
Elm Street	Canton Ave.	Pine Tree Brook Taking	1807	.34	B.C.	40	1807		1911, 1947
Elmwood Avenue	Town line at Granite Place	Town line at Quincy	62	.01	B.C.	40	62		1955
Elton Road	Fuller's Lane	Private land	769	.14	B.M. & B.C.	40	769		1930, 1942
Emerson Road	Granite Ave.	Alvin Ave.	1180	.22	B.C.	40	1180		1937
Engine Road	Clapp St.	Walnut St.	602	.11	B.C.	25	602		1896
Essex Road	Decker St.	Hudson St.	834	.16	B.C. & D.	40	367	467	1945
Fairbanks Road	Central Ave.	Walnut St.	1084	.20	B.M.	50	1084		1934, 1951
Fairfax Road	Brook Rd.	Hinckley Rd.	712	.13	B.M.	40	712		1928
Fairlawn Avenue	Catherine Rd.	Meagher Ave.	212	.04	B.C.	40	212		1938
Fairmount Avenue	Brush Hill Rd.	Town line at Hyde Park	504	.10	B.M.	40	504		
Faraday Street	Cushing Road	Town line at Hyde Park	158	.03	D.	40		158	
Father Carney Drive	Adams Street	Private land	859	.16	D.	50		859	
Ferncroft Road	Blue Hill Terrace St.	Victoria St.	2212	.42	B.C.	40	2212		1938, 44
Forbes Road	Adams Street	Private land	2004	.38	B.C.	50	2004		50, 53
Forest Street	Hillside St.	Blue Hills Reservation	1493	.28	B.C.	30	1493		1948, 1952
Franklin Street	Eliot St.	Met. Transit Authority	264	.05	G.	40		264	
Frothingham Street	Adams Street	Alvin Avenue	1852	.35	B.C. & G.	40	1852		1939, 1955
Fuller's Lane	Brook Rd.	Canton Ave.	917	.17	B.C.	40	917		1910
Galen Street	Edge Hill Rd.	Town line at Quincy	1985	.38	B.C. & G.	20-24		1985	
Garden Street	Bailey Ave.	Lynn Rd.	244	.05	D.	40		244	
Garfield Avenue Ext.	Edge Hill Rd.	Private land	1255	.24	B.M. & D.	40	905	350	1930
Garfield Road	VanBrunt St.	Faraday St.				+	*		
Gaskins Road	Marilyn Rd.	Rustlewood Rd.	404	.08	B.C.	40	404		1951
Gerald Road	Valley Rd.	Maple St.	635	.12	G.	40		635	
Gibbons Street	Pleasant Street	Private land	1621	.31	B.C.	50	1621		1953, 1955
Gile Road	Andnubon Road	Pine Tree Brook Taking	464	.09	D.	40		464	
Glendale Road	Canton Avenue	Pine Tree Brook Taking	1875	.36	B.C., G., & D	50	1875		1950
Gordon Road	Elton Rd.	Bartons Lane	608	.11	B.C.	50	608		1942
Governors Road	Pleasant St.	Public land	625	.12	B.C.	50	625		1938
Gov. Stoughton Lane	Adams St.	Town line at Quincy	2725	.52	B.C. & B.M.	40	2725		1930, 35, 36
Grafton Avenue	Canton Ave.	Public land	1570	.29	B.C. & G.	30	1570		1900, 1913
Granite Avenue	Edge Hill Rd.	Alden Rd.	1267	.24	B.C.	40-75	1267		1865, 1899
	Town line at Dorchester	Town line at Quincy	9183	1.74	B.C. & B.M.	65-82	+		1900, 1917

*All in Boston

†(State) 5730

(Town) 3453

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	Adams St.	Elmwood Ave.	1462	.28 B.C.	30	1462	330	1873 ExL
Granite Place	Centre Street	Private land	330	.06 G.	30	*		
Green Hollow Lane	Canton Ave.	Town line at Canton	785	.15 B.C.	40			1945
Green Street	Windsor Rd.	Standish Rd.	289	.05 B.C.	40	289		
Greenleaf Road	Central Ave.	Private land	279	.05 G.	40		279	
Griggs Lane	Warren Ave.	Pine Tree Brook Taking	840	.16 B.C.	40	840		1934, 1952
Grove Street	Granite Ave.	Granite Ave.	1170	.22 D.	40		1170	
Guilford Road	Canton Ave.	Pine Tree Brook Taking	1782	.34 B.C.	40	1782		1941, 1946
Gulliver Street	Centre St.	Pleasant St.	2901	.55 B.C.	30-50	2901		
Gum Hill Street	Randolph Avenue	Marshall Road	1381	.26 D.	50		1381	
Hallen Avenue	Private land	Private land	520	.10 D.	170		520	
Harbor View Park	Canton Ave.	Hillside St.	5340	.161 B.C.	40-45	5340		1846
Harland Street**	Warren Ave.	Pine Tree Brook Taking	1062	.20 B.C.	40	1062		1938
Harold Street	Eliot St.	Briarfield Rd.	876	.16 B.C.	40	876		1921
Hawthorne Road	Pleasant St.	Private land	648	.12 B.C. & D.	40		78	1930
Hazel Street	Blue Hill Ave.	Canton Ave.	765	.14 G.	50	570	765	
Hemlock Drive	Eliot St.	Canton Ave.	597	.11 B.M.	31	597		1951
High Street	Brook Rd.	Private land	276	.05 B.C.	40-70	276		
Highfield Circle	Canton Ave.	Randolph Ave.	5524	1.05 B.M. & B.C.	30-40	5524		1931
Highland Street	Brook Rd.	Brae Burn Rd.	811	.15 B.M.	40	811		††
Hillcrest Road	Randolph Ave.	Town line at Canton	14553	2.76 B.C., B.M. & B.C.	30-100	†		1947
Hillside Street	Blue Hill Ave.	Brush Hill Rd.	922	.18 B.C.	40	922		1910
Hills View Road	Eliot St.	Central Ave.	2880	.55 B.M. & B.C.	40	2880		1945
Hinckley Road	Valentine Road	Private land	275	.05 B.C.	40	275		
Hollborn Street	Adams St.	Blue Hill Avenue	1668	.31 D.	50		1668	1906
Hollingsworth Road	Canton Ave.	Edge Hill Rd.	794	.15 B.C.	40	794		
Holles Street	Granite Ave.	Private land	800	.15 B.C. & G.	18-24	800		
Holmes Lane	Pleasant St.	Squamitum St.	845	.16 B.C.	40	845		
Horton Place	Brook Rd.	Private land	1000	.19 B.M. & D.	20		1000	
Houghton Road	Blue Hills Parkway	Private land	251	.05 B.C.	50		251	
Houston Avenue	Washington St.	Public land	1778	.34 B.M. & B.C.	40-50	1778		1895, 1910
Howard Street	Ferguson Rd.	Private land	295	.06 B.M.	30	295		1930
Howe Street	Murray Ave.	Belcher Circle	939	.18 B.C.	40	939		1938
Hoy Terrace	Blue Hill Ave.	Ferncroft Rd.	850	.16 B.C.	40	850		1940
Hudson Street	Edge Hill Rd.	Private land	1218	.23 B.C.	40	1218		1937
Huntington Road	Squamitum St.	Carlot St.	1345	.25 B.C. & D.	40	904	441	1906
Hurlcroft Road	Randolph Ave.	Adams St.	1135	.21 B.C.	50	1135		*37, 39, 42, 49
Hutchinson Street	Washington St.	Private land	427	.08 B.C.	40	427		1899
Johnson Street	Blue Hills Parkway	Thacher St.	260	.05 B.M.	30	260		1932
Kahler Avenue	Onis St.	Westvale Road	952	.18 B.C.	40	952		1911
Kemworth Road			626	.12 B.C.	50	626		1944

* (State) 785

** (State) 3150 through Blue Hills Reservation

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			Feet	Miles					
Kevin Road	Robbins Street	Craig Street	540	.10	B.C.	50	540		1953
Lafayette Street	Blue Hill Ave.	Private land	783	.14	B.C. & D.	50	683	100	1954
Lancaster Lane	Valley Rd.	Columbine Rd.	497	.09	G.	40		497	
Landon Road	Blue Hill Ave.	Robbins St.	763	.14	B.M.	50		763	
Lantern Lane	Thompson Lane	Canton Ave.	562	.11	B.M.	40	562		1936
Laurel Road	Thacher St.	Kahler Ave.	720	.14	B.M.	40	720		1929, 1931
Lawndale Road	Otis St.	Kenilworth Rd.	676	.13	B.C.	50	676		1944
Lawrence Road	Pleasant St.	Bartons Lane	758	.15	B.M. & B.C.	40	758		1930, 1944
Libby Road	Adams St.	Squantum St.	548	.10	B.G. & B.C.	30		548	
Lincoln Street	Thacher St.	Brook Rd.	786	.15	B.M.	30-40	786		1901
Lindbergh Road	Randolph Ave.	Private land	229	.04	D.	25-30		229	
Lochland Street	California Ave.	Neposnet River Reservation	904	.17	D.	50		904	
Lodge Street	Randolph Ave.	Pleasant St.	980	.19	B.C.	40	980		1941
Longwood Road	Windros Rd.	Standish Rd.	519	.09	B.C.	40	519		1954
Lothrop Avenue	Churchill St.	Decker St.	1065	.20	B.C.	30	1065		1936
Lufbery Street	Lafayette St.	Roosevelt St.	518	.10	B.G.	40		518	
Lyman Road	Pleasant Street	Cypress Road	2960	.56	B.C., B.G. & D.	40-50	210	2750	1955
Magnolia Road	Walnut Street	Bond Road	902	.17	B.C.	40	902		1950
Maitland Street	Pleasant St.	Lodge St.	485	.09	B.C.	40	485		1941
Maple Street	Central Ave.	Oak Rd.	1520	.29	B.M. & B.G.	40	1520		1885, 1898
Mardon Road	Blue Hills Parkway	Private land	200	.04	D.	50		200	
Margaret Road	Canton Avenue	Atherton Street	1197	.23	D.	50		1197	
Marilyn Road	Brook Road	Allerton Road	971	.18	B.C.	40	971		1939
Marr Crest Drive	Forbes Road	Private land	575	.11	B.C.	50	575		1952
Marshall Road	Highland Street	Woodside Drive	982	.19	D.	50		982	
Martin Road	Reedsdale Rd.	Highland St.	1153	.22	B.C. & B.M.	40	153		1939, 40, 41
Martin Terrace	Bryant Ave.	Private land	281	.05	B.G.	22		281	1952
Mathaus Street	Pleasant Street	Clay St.	830	.16	B.C.	40	830		
Maxwell Road	Reedsdale Rd.	Artwill St.	420	.08	D.	40		420	
McKinnon Avenue	Pleasant St.	Public land	409	.08	B.C.	40	409		1942
Meadow Lane	Hallen Avenue	Woodside Drive	500	.09	D.	50		500	
Meagher Avenue	Warren Ave.	Pine Tree Brook Taking	1142	.22	B.M.	40	1142		1931
Mechanic Street	Adams St.	Granite Ave.	545	.10	B.G.	33	545		
Melbourne Road	Osborne Rd.	Alvin Ave.	414	.08	B.C.	40	414		1938
Meredith Circle	Reedsdale Rd.	Reedsdale Rd.	1361	.26	B.M.	46	1361		1930
Metropolitan Avenue	Brush Hill Rd.	Town line at Hyde Park	1526	.29	B.M.	50	1526		1884
Miller Avenue	Glendale Rd.	Private land	138	.03	G.	50		138	
Milton Hill Road	Adams St.	Private land	451	.09	B.C.	50	451		1939

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Milton Street	Beale St.	Town line at Quincy	146	.03 B.M.	40	146	1932
Milton Street	Blue Hill Ave.	Town line at Hyde Park	2906	.55 B.M.	50	2906	1877
Mingo Street	Canton Ave.	Park St.	900	.17 B.C.	40	900	1948
Morton Road	Eliot St.	Canton Ave.	1307	.25 B.M. & B.G.	40	1307	1906, 97, 27
Morton Terrace	Morton Rd.	Private land	418	.08 B.G.	40	418	1907
Mulberry Road	Blue Hill Terrace St.	Public land	388	.07 G.	40		388
Murray Avenue	Pleasant St.	Private land	445	.08 B.C.	40	445	1940
Myers Lane	Canton Ave.	Robbins St.	540	.10 D.	15-18	540	
Nahanton Avenue	Randolph Ave.	Blue Hills Reservation	2200	.42 B.C. & D.	40	441	1949
Nancy Road	Gerald Rd.	Lynn Road	1240	.23 B.C.	50	918	1953
Nash Street	St. Agatha Rd.	Southeast Expressway	97	.01 B.C.	40	97	1936
Neponset Val. Pkwy.	Brush Hill Rd.	Blue Hill Ave.	2780	.53 B.M. & B.G.	190-330	*	
New Bedford Street	Town line at Hyde Park	Town line at Hyde Park	765	.14 D.	40	765	
Norman Street	Blue Hill Ave.	Roosevelt St.	738	.14 B.G.	40	738	
North Russell Street	Russell St.	Randolph Ave.	476	.09 B.G.	30	476	1889
Norway Road	Cliff Rd.	Cliff Rd.	561	.11 B.G.	40	561	1923
Oak Road	Eliot St.	Valley Rd.	660	.13 B.G.	40	660	1898
Oak Street	Brook Road	Blue Hills Parkway	1281	.24 B.M. & B.G.	40	1281	1895, 1904
Orchard Road	Pleasant St.	Private land	561	.11 D.	40	561	
Orono Street	Thacher St.	Public land	283	.05 B.M.	40	283	1912
Osborne Road	Emerson Rd.	Wood St.	374	.07 B.C.	40	374	1937
Outs Street	Adams St.	Edge Hill Rd.	1829	.35 B.C.	40	1829	1898
Pagoda Circle	Pagoda Street	Pagoda Street	1170	.22 B.C. & G.	40	523	1944, 1953
Pagoda Street	Blue Hill Ave.	Ferncroft Rd.	1274	.24 B.C.	40	1274	1944, 1953
Paradise Road	Centre St.	Public land	680	.13 G. & D.	40	680	
Park Street	Canton Ave.	Blue Hills Reservation	878	.17 B.C. & D.	40	878	1948
Parkway Crescent	Blue Hills Parkway	Pine Tree Brook Taking	1314	.25 B.M.	40-50	1314	1931, 1932
Phyllis Lane	Gerald Road	Nancy Road	354	.07 B.C.	50	354	1954
Pierce Street	Adams St.	Granite Ave.	896	.17 B.G.	30-35	896	
Pilgrim Road	Adams St.	Town line at Quincy	390	.07 B.M.	40	390	1932
Pillar Road	Adams St.	Hurlcroft Rd.	967	.18 B.C.	40	967	1889, 1947
Pine Avenue	Pleasant St.	Private land	1600	.30 G. & B.C.	15	1600	
Pine Grove Street	Hope Ave.	Squantum St.	641	.12 B.C.	40	641	1941
Pleasant Street	Randolph Ave.	Adams St.	8488	.161 B.C., B.M. & B.G.	25-64	8488	1872*, 1931
Plymouth Avenue	Edge Hill Rd.	Town line at Quincy	1455	.28 B.G.	40-75	1455	1929
Pond Street	Pierce St.	Private land	628	.12 B.C., B.M.	53	628	1931, 1947
Pope Hill Road	Truro Lane	Private land	587	.11 B.C.	50	587	1952
Prince Street	Blue Hill Ave.	Truro Lane	683	.18 B.C.	40	683	1953
Quarry Lane	Pleasant St.	Private land	571	.11 B.C. & D.	40	521	1948
Quentin Street	Norman St.	Prince St.	465	.09 D.	40	50	
Randolph Avenue	Adams St.	Town line at Quincy	16806	.318 C.C., B.C. & B.M.	60-99	465	1884, 1947
Reed Street	Randolph Ave.	Highland St.	443	.08 B.G.	45	443	

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Reedsdale Road	Brook Rd.	Pleasant St.	5434	1.03	B.M.	74	5434		1884
Reservation Road	Adams St.	Edge Hill Rd.	1336	.29	B.C. & B.M.	40	1336		1884
Revere Street	Warren Ave.	Pine Tree Brook Taking	1100	.21	B.C.	40	1100		1929, 1946
Ridge Road	Brook Rd.	Columbine Rd.	1328	.25	B.C.	40		1328	1948
Ridgewood Road	Randolph Avenue	Blue Hills Reservation	2586	.49	D.	50		2586	
Riverside Avenue	Thistle Ave.	Private land	700	.13	D.	35		700	
Robbins Street	Canton Ave.	Brush Hill Rd.	3461	.66	B.G.	35-45	3461		
Rock View Road	Eliot St.	Valley Rd.	486	.09	B.G.	40	486		1898
Rockwell Avenue	Washington St.	Beale St.	568	.11	B.C.	40	568		1927
Rockwell Place	Rockwell Ave.	Private land	298	.05	B.C.	40	298		1945
Rose Street	Birch St.	Spruce St.	820	.16	D.	40		820	
Rowe Street	Adams St.	Governors Rd.	1216	.23	B.C. & B.M.	40	1216		1928, 1939
Ruggles Lane	Central Avenue	Canton Avenue	1693	.32	G. & D.		88	1605	1955
Russell Street	Canton Ave.	Randolph Ave.	819	.16	B.G.	40	819		1889
Rustlewood Road	Marilyn Rd.	Central Ave.	946	.18	B.C.	40	946		1942
Saint Agatha Road	Adams Street	Woodward Court	1480	.28	B.C.	40	1480		1936, 1955
St. Mary's Road	Thacher St.	Brook Rd.	940	.18	B.C. & B.M.	50-60	940	2100	1936, 37, 38
Sassamon Avenue	Randolph Ave.	Blue Hills Reservation	2100	.40	G. & D.	40		411	
Savin Street	Ferncroft Rd.	Pagoda Circle	411	.08	D.	40			
School Street	Central Ave.	Randolph Ave.	2737	.52	B.M. & B.G.	40	2737		1887
Sheldon Street	State St.	Town line at Quincy	870	.16	B.G.	40	870		1877
Sheridan Drive	Lawndale Rd.	Woodchester Drive	590	.11	B.C.	50	590		1940
Sias Lane	Centre Street	Coolidge Rd.	1290	.24	B.C. G. & D.	24-50	420	870	1953
Silver Brook Road	Eileen Street	Private land	1075	.20	B.C. & D.	50	735	340	1954
Smith Road	Brush Hill Rd.	Beacon St.	1331	.29	B.M. & B.G.	40	1331		1892
Southeast Expr. ^{ssw'y}	Town line at Boston	Town line at Quincy	9286	1.47	G.	115-480	*		
Spafford Road	Reedsdale Rd.	Highland St.	1105	.21	B.C.	35	1105	834	1907
Spruce Street	Clay St.	Lyman Rd.	834	.16	D.	40			
Squantum Street	Adams St.	Town line at Quincy	3568	.67	B.C. & B.M.	40-75	3568		+
Standish Road	Brook Rd.	Hinckley Rd.	1334	.29	B.C.	50	1334		1939, 1941
Stanton Road	Fairbanks Rd.	Magnolia Rd.	346	.07	B.C.	40	346		1939
State Street	Plymouth Ave.	Bryant Ave.	648	.12	B.G.	40	648		1877
Stoddard Lane	Centre Lane	Sias Lane	200	.03	B.C. & G.	50		200	
Summit Street	Metropolitan Ave.	Town line at Hyde Park	36		B.G.	40	36		
Summer Street	Truro Lane	Private land	525	.10	B.C.	50	525		1952
Sunnyside Road	Pond Street	Town line at Quincy	95	.02	B.C.	33	95		1947
Taff Road	Hurlcroft Rd.	Pillon Rd.	322	.06	B.C.	40	322		1937
Taylor Road	Fairbanks Rd.	Magnolia Rd.	210	.04	B.C.	50	210		1951

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† Relocated and Widened 1897 and 1951

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Thacher Street	Brook Rd.	Canton Ave.	4843	.92	B.C. & B.M.	40	4843	1877
The Ledgeway	Canton Ave.	Private land	420	.07	G.	55	420	
Thisfle Avenue	Granite Ave.	Riverside Ave.	755	.14	B.C.	33	755	1951
Thompson Lane	Brook Rd.	Reedsdale Rd.	813	.15	B.M.	40	813	1932
Trout Brook Avenue	Robbins St.	Private land	325	.06	G.	50	325	
Truman Highway	Blue Hills Parkway	Town line at Hyde Park	5885	1.11	B.C.	100-300	*	1931
Truman Highway	Town line at Hyde Park	Town line at Hyde Park	715	.14	B.C.	100	**	1931
Truro Lane	Landon Road	Ferncroft Rd.	2153	.41	B.C. & D.	40-50	1173	1948,50,52
Fucker Street	Brook Rd.	Blue Hill Ave.	668	.13	B.G.	33	668	1907
Union Avenue	Oak Street	Private land	330	.07	B.C.	20-55	330	1955
Valentine Road	Brush Hill Road	Blue Hill Avenue	1719	.32	B.C.,B.M.&D.	50	1719	
Valley Road	Eliot St.	Central Ave.	1520	.29	B.M.	40	1520	1898
Valley Road Extn.	Eliot St.	Met. Transit Authority	225	.04	B.C.	40	225	1936
Van Brunt Street	Cushing Road	Town line at Hyde Park	180	.03	D.	40	180	
Vendale Road	Blue Hills Parkway	Lothrop Ave.	365	.07	B.M.	30	365	1930
Victoria Street	Blue Hill Avenue	Ferncroft Road	990	.19	B.C. & G.	50	522	1953,1955
Victory Avenue	Town line at Quincy	Private land	166	.03	B.C.	40	166	1945
Vinewood Road	Pleasant St.	Gordon Road	540	.10	B.C.	50	540	1938
Wola Street	Thacher St.	Public land	276	.05	B.M.	30	276	1929
Virginia Street	Hawthorne Rd.	Fairfax Rd.	290	.05	B.M.	40	290	1930
Vose Hill Road	Blue Hill Ave.	Brush Hill Rd.	917	.17	B.C.	40	917	1951
Voses Lane	Brook Rd.	Centre St.	1241	.24	B.G.	40	1241	
Waldeck Road	Reservation Rd.	Edge Hill Rd.	1268	.24	B.M. & B.C.	40	1268	1928,1946
Waldo Road	Eliot St.	Private land	397	.08	B.C.	40	397	1933
Walnut Street	Clapp St.	Reedsdale Rd.	885	.17	B.M.	50	885	
Warner Road	Governors Rd.	Webster Rd.	602	.11	B.C. & D.	40	170	1948
Warren Avenue	Blue Hills Parkway	Public land	2019	.38	B.M. & B.G.	50	2019	1907
Washington Street	Adams St.	Town line at Quincy	1400	.27	B.M. & B.G.	40	1400	1889
Webster Road	Edge Hill Rd.	Town line at Quincy	1684	.32	B.C. & D.	40	909	1941
Westell Park	Canton Ave.	Thacher St.	2242	.42	B.C. & B.G.	50-160	1455	1884,1952
West Street	Blue Hills Parkway	Laurel Rd.	490	.09	B.M.	30	490	1931
Westbourne Street	Otis St.	Private land	284	.05	B.M.	40	284	1930
Weston Street	Meagher Ave.	Private land	178	.03	D.	50	178	
West Side Road	Brook Hill Rd.	Private land	711	.13	B.G.	40	711	1906
Westvale Road	Edge Hill Rd.	Pleasant St.	825	.16	B.G.	50	825	1944
Wharf Street	Adams St.	Town Landing	528	.10	B.M.	20-40	528	1916
Whitelawn Avenue	Canton Ave.	Canton Ave.	1448	.27	B.C.,B.G.&D.	40-50	400	1912
Whitman Road	Riverside Ave.	N.Y.,N.H. & H. R. R.	200	.04	D.	20	200	
Willwood Road	Clifton Rd.	Public land	440	.08	B.C.	40	440	1945
Williams Avenue	Brush Hill Rd.	Town line at Hyde Park	372	.07	B.M.	50	372	1874
Willoughby Road	Eliot St.	Blue Hills Parkway	708	.13	B.G.	40	708	1921

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 *(State) 5885
 B.M. = Bituminous Macadam
 **Relocation (State) 715
 G. = Gravel
 B.C. = Bituminous Concrete
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 D. = Dirt

STREET DIRECTORY

NAME	FROM	TO	Length		Type	Width	Public	Private	Year Accepted
			Feet	Miles					
Windsor Road	Brook Rd.	Hinckley Rd.	910	.17	B.M.	40	910		1931
Winthrop Street	Warren Ave.	Audubon Rd.	500	.10	B.M.	40	500		1928
Wolcott Road	Brush Hill Rd.	Town line at Hyde Park	1610	.31	G.	40		1610	
Wood Street	Granite Ave.	Alvin Ave.	1621	.31	B.C. & B.M.	40	1621		1930,37,52
Woodbine Street	Thacher St.	Clapp St.	258	.05	B.G.	25	258		
Woodchester Drive	Lawndale Rd.	Brook Rd.	593	.11	B.C.	40-50	593		1940
Woodland Road	Canton Ave.	Private land	4814	.91	B.G. & G.	40	650	4164	1913,1915
Woodside Drive	Private land	Private land	1329	.25	D.	50		1329	
Woodville Avenue	Pleasant St.	Private land	500	.10	D.	30		500	
Woodward Court	Libby Road	St. Agatha Road	187	.03	D.	30		187	
Wyndmere Road	Pleasant St.	Public land	464	.09	B.C.	50	464		1938
Total Feet			537,786				451,217	86,569	
Total Miles in Milton			101.85		Town	Miles	70.75		
					State	Miles	14.71		
					Total	Miles	85.46	16.39	

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STREET DIRECTORY

MISCELLANEOUS DATA RELATING TO MILTON

Area of Town	848 acres or 13.2 square miles
Area of Water Surface	149 acres or .23 square miles
Area of M.D.C. Reservation in Town.....	1818 acres or 2.84 square miles
Business Area East Milton (exclusive of streets)	11.65 acres
Business Area Milton Village (exclusive of streets) ..	16.42 acres
Business Area East side of Granite Ave. at Neponset River	6.15 acres
Length of Public Streets	70.75 miles
Length of State Highways	14.71 miles
Length of Metropolitan Park Roadways	7.078 miles
Extent of Town North and South	5.339 miles
Extent of Town East and West	5.094 miles
Elevation of crest of center line Adams Street.....	143 ft.
Elevation of Adams Street at Granite Avenue.....	49 ft.
Elevation of Adams Street at Eliot Street.....	36 ft.
Elevation of Canton Avenue at Town Hall.....	111 ft.
Elevation of Canton Avenue at Blue Hills Parkway..	48 ft.
Elevation of Randolph Avenue at Reedsdale Road....	125 ft.
Elevation of Randolph Avenue at Hillside Street....	158 ft.
Elevation center line Brush Hill Road near Robbins Street	206 ft.
Elevation center line Brush Hill Road at center line Canton Avenue	209 ft.
Elevation summit Great Blue Hill	640 ft.

All elevations figured from Boston Base which is mean low tide water at Charlestown Navy Yard.

Milton Public Libraries:

- Main Library — Canton Avenue at Reedsdale Road, Tel. BL 8-5707.
- Branch Library — Edge Hill Road near Adams Street, Tel. BL 8-1733.
- Kidder Branch — Blue Hills Parkway, opposite Willoughby Road, Tel. BL 8-5299.

Milton Fire Stations:

- Central Fire Station — Canton Avenue rear of Town Hall, Tel. BL 8-1980
- Engine No. 2 — Corner Adams Street and Granite Avenue.
- Engine No. 4 — Corner Blue Hill Avenue and Atherton Street.

Milton Police Station:

- Central Avenue near Eliot Street, Tel. BL 8-1212

Milton Draft Board #125:

- Associates Bldg., Tel. CU 6-4973.

Milton Hospital:

- 92 Highland Street, Tel. CU 6-4600.

ALEXANDER E. MANNING,
Town Engineer.

TOWN OFFICERS

ELECTED TOWN OFFICERS

For the Municipal Years 1955-1956

SELECTMEN	CHARLES F. BATCHELDER, jr.	1956
	DANIEL E. DUGGAN	1956
	WILLIAM H. WHITE	1956
TOWN CLERK	TERESA SHAUGHNESSY	1956
TREASURER AND COLLECTOR	CLYDE L. WHITTIER	1956
ASSESSORS	ROBERT BOWIE	1956
	GEORGE S. MURRAY	1957
	WILLIAM C. HOXIE	1958
SCHOOL COMMITTEE	PAUL W. KNIGHT	1956
	TERESA P. EDWARDS	1956
	HARRIET M. MELLEY	1957
	EVERETT C. MYERS	1957
	HARRY E. CARLSON	1958
	W. GORDON SWAN	1958
BOARD OF HEALTH	PAUL R. WITHINGTON	1956
	PAUL V. McPEAKE	1957
	THOMAS H. BILODEAU	1958
PARK COMMISSIONERS	M. JOSEPH MANNING, Jr.	1956
	ELBERT P. FLETCHER	1957
	JAMES A. AICARDI	1958
TRUSTEES OF PUBLIC LIBRARY	C. RODGERS BURGIN	1956
	JOHN B. MOORE	1956
	ROGER WOLCOTT	1956
	DORIS A. BRIDGES	1957
	L. BOWMAN GRATON	1957
	ARTHUR B. PERRY	1957
	*JAMES F. BALLARD	1958
	KNIGHT AMES	1958
	ELIZABETH S. SMYTH	1958
	†WILLIAM J. DALY, Jr.	1956
TRUSTEES OF CEMETERY	EDMUND J. BURKE	1956
	CHARLES HIBBARD, Jr.	1957
	JOHN E. SHELDON	1958
	NORMAN PIERCE	1959
	THOMAS WHEELER	1960
SEWER COMMISSIONERS	FRED Y. MARSHALL	1956
	JAMES F. CAMPBELL	1957
	JAMES PERRY THURBER	1958
WATER COMMISSIONERS	WILLIAM P. MELLEY	1956
	JOHN B. MOORE	1957
	ERNEST E. ERICKSON	1958
BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE	EDWARD C. JOHNSON 2d	1956
	FLORENCE C. WISLOCKI	1956
	JOSEPH J. O'BRIEN	1957
	G. PHILIP GRABFIELD	1958
	OLIVER S. SUGHRUE	1958
	†GEORGE N. HURD, Jr.	1956
PLANNING BOARD	**WALTER S. ROBBINS	1956
	EDWARD DYSON	1957
	JOHN H. BOWIE	1958
	BENJAMIN R. ALEXANDER	1959
	RAY A. HINDS	1960
CONSTABLES	WILLIAM J. CASHMAN	1956
	WALTER A. DENNIS	1956
	JAMES J. McGEE	1956
	**RICHARD F. CHAMBERLAIN	1956
	†JOHN E. WHEARTY	1956
TREE WARDEN	JOHN T. HEMENWAY	1956
MODERATOR	BENJAMIN F. JAQUES	1956

*Deceased

**Resigned

†Appointed

List of Town Meeting Members for the Year 1955

TOWN OFFICERS

PRECINCT 1

Term expires March 1958 (Fourteen)

Burnett, William C., 250 Blue Hill Ave.
 Carroll, Forrest W., 47 Blue Hill Ter.
 Collins, Desmond M., 125 Blue Hills Parkway
 Collins, George W., 3 Brook Rd.
 Grant, John J., 128 Blue Hill Ave.
 Halliday, Harold S., 82 Blue Hill Rd.
 Leary, Edward J., 35 Belvoir Rd.
 Mahoney, Jeremiah J., 61 Oak St.
 Maloney, James J., Sr., 198 Brush Hill Rd.
 McKinnon, Albert J., 79 Robbins St.
 McTaggart, Bernard E., 63 Churchill St.
 Priestley, John W., 43 Brook Rd.
 Taylor, Walter W., 62 Oak St.
 Watson, Gusie H., 66 Brush Hill Rd.

Term expires March 1957 (Fourteen)

Crosby, William H., 376 Brush Hill Rd.
 Cullen, Thomas A., 17 Belvoir Rd.
 Dennis, Walter A., 70 Blue Hill Ave.
 Donahue, Andrew J., Jr., 79 Victoria St.
 Grant, John L., 128 Blue Hill Ave.
 Howes, Robert W., 31 Cheever St.
 McLean, Howard M., 28 Cheever St.
 Murphy, William M., 97 Decker St.
 Myers, Everett C., 7 Pagoda St.
 Treat, George A., 67 Concord Ave.
 Tuttle, Bertha E., 10 Cheever St.
 Varnerin, Lawrence J., 155 Robbins St.
 Vogel, Joseph N., 37 Lothrop Ave.
 Williams, Preston R., 62 Brush Hill Rd.

Term expires March 1956 (Fourteen)

Beale, Elliot L., 31 Lothrop Ave.
 Cole, Murray D., 23 Craig St.
 Fabian, Margaret H., 40 Blue Hill Ter.
 Hefler, Geradine M., 79 Smith Rd.
 Johnson, Paul R., 46 Hudson St.
 Kingsbury, Norman E., 623 Blue Hill Parkway
 Manning, Philip V., 967 Canton Ave.
 McNague, Jessie N., 119 Blue Hill Parkway
 McNaughton, Paul R., 271 Blue Hill Parkway
 Peverly, Russell E., 137 Robbins St.
 Stronge, Roger W., 120 Smith Rd.
 Thomson, Robert M., 40 Concord Ave.
 Van Gestel, Hendrick W., 68 Cheever St.
 Woods, John O., 45 Concord Ave.

Ex-Officio

Erickson, Ernest E., 5 Verndale Rd., Water
 Knight, Paul W., 14 Belvoir Rd., School
 Whittier, Clyde L., 24 Blue Hill Ave., Treasurer

PRECINCT 2

Term expires March 1958 (Eleven)

Adams, Fred A., 24 Willoughby Rd.
 Crosby, William B., 30 Hinkleby Rd.
 Draper, Mildred H., 112 Allerton Rd.
 Fitzgerald, John F., Jr., 38 Windsor Rd.
 Hain, Andrew, 24 Hinkleby Rd.
 Harrington, Byrnie, 570 Elliot St.
 Hill, Gladys L., 15 Fairfax Rd.
 McDermott, Francis P., 17 Byrne Rd.
 O'Neill, James J., 18 West St.
 Patterson, Howard S., 42 Norway Rd.
 Brown, Burton G., Jr., 7 Laurel Rd.

Term expires March 1957 (Eleven)

Curley, George T., 510 Elliot St.
 Gallagher, Thomas J., 431 Elliot St.
 Hurd, George Newell, Jr., 189 Canton Ave.
 MacGaregill, Stanley C., 17 Briarfield Rd.
 Mahoney, Joseph C., 9 Columbine Rd.
 McLoughlin, James E., 43 Briarfield Rd.
 O'Laughlin, Frank J., Jr., 11 Fairfax Rd.
 Wallace, Richard A., 45 Thacher St.
 Weiss, Margaret C., 223 Central Ave.
 White, Anne E., 5 Norway Rd.
 Wood, Robert D., 8 Kahler Ave.

Term expires March 1956 (Eleven)

Ames, Knight, 241 Canton Ave.
 Blackburn, Arthur H., 470 Elliot St.
 Cowperthwaite, Irving A., 10 Willoughby Rd.
 Cyphers, James F., 75 Hinkleby Rd.
 Donnell, Alfred J., 46 Dyer Ave.
 Draper, Copeland M., 112 Allerton Rd.
 Hurd, G. Newell, 8 Ruggles Lane
 Kimball, Mary Lee Evans, 137 Hinkleby Rd.
 Newcomb, Charles F., 34 Willoughby Rd.
 O'Neill, Edward T., 91 Allerton Rd.
 Turner, Everett L., 34 Cliff Rd.

Ex-Officio

White, William H., 142 Blue Hill Parkway, Selectman

LIST OF TOWN MEETING MEMBERS FOR THE YEAR 1955 — Continued

PRECINCT 3

Term expires March 1958 (Eleven)
 Baker, Edwin O., 104 Canton Ave.
 Bennett, Samuel C., 36 Westside Rd.
 Cruckshank, Blake G., 31 Waldo Rd.
 Darling, Newton P., 23 Russell St.
 Eshleman, Frank M., 84 Columbine Rd.
 Evans, Dwight D., 40 Canton Ave.
 Fasch, Clifton L., 29 Oak Rd.
 Jenkins, Everett H., 60 Columbine Rd.
 Jones, Theodore S., 88 Columbine Ave.
 Palmer, Henry W., 59 Randolph Ave.
 Watson, Henry R., Jr., 29 Canton Ave.

Term expires March 1957 (Eleven)
 Byers, Randolph K., 277 Adams St.
 Crocker, Seth C., 184 School St.
 deMille, Wilfred P., 157 School St.
 Dudley, Paul F., 185 School St.
 Farnham, William H., 33 Russell St.
 Hausermann, Oscar W., 42 Dudley Lane
 Luther, C. Fisher, 65 Morton Rd.
 Rogerson, John E., 114 Canton Ave.
 Swift, H. M. Steel, 64 Canton Ave.
 Trumbull, James C., 76 Canton Ave.
 Watson, Paul B., Jr., 210 Randolph Ave.

Term expires March 1956 (Eleven)
 Bremer, John L., 2d, 242 Canton Ave.
 Bryant, Mary L., 149 Randolph Ave.
 Canon, George A., Jr., Valley St.
 Gates, Charles I., 43 Valley Rd.
 Hadlock, Russell S., 115 Canton Ave.
 Howland, Alice F., 144 Randolph Ave.
 King, Hervey W., 120 Central Ave.
 Marden, S. Francis, 66 Morton Rd.
 Morris, Sarah G., 179 School St.
 Murdock, Warren, 116 Allen Circle
 Vickerson, Herbert G., 306 Elliot St.

Ex-Officio

Batchelder, Charles F., Jr., 71 Valley Rd., Selectman
 Burgin, C. Rodgers, 138 Central Ave., Library
 Brooks, Francis F., 134 Adams St., Warrant Com.
 Frederick, Frank B., 45 Morton Rd., Town Counsel
 Pierce, Norman, 150 School St., Cemetery

PRECINCT 4

Term expires March 1958 (Twelve)
 Baker, Newton S., 54 Fairbanks Rd.
 Ballard, James F., 17 Dyer Ave. (Deceased 5-15-55)
 Creston, John F., 138 Thacher St.
 Crosby, Gilbert S., 116 Dyer Ave.
 Dunphy, James T., 402 Blue Hills Parkway
 Gibbons, Thomas M., 61 Warren Ave.
 Klein, William L., 128 Gulliver St.
 McGee, Anne L., 2 Bonad Rd.
 Melvin, Harold W., 44 Houston Ave.
 Pezzaro, C. John, 456 Central Ave.
 Pelnert, Frederic R., 114 Audubon Rd.
 Peterson, Walter F., 60 Walnut St.

Term expires March 1957 (Twelve)
 Campbell, George L., 37 Wendell Park
 Farrington, William F., 112 Dyer Ave.
 Graziani, Joseph G., Jr., 46 Houston Ave.
 Hibbard, Charles L., Jr., 49 Walnut St.
 Marcy, Ralph W., 86 Wendell Park
 Marshall, Ernestine M., 85 Houston Ave.
 Martinelli, John B., 131 Clapp St.
 Mathewson, Stephen G., 47 Warren Ave.
 McGee, James J., 2 Bonad Rd.
 Mullen, William W., 180 Thacher St.
 Pow, Frederick C., 26 Meagher Ave.
 Reid, Helen J., 33 Harold St.

Term expires 1956 (Twelve)
 Anderson, Roger B., 38 Magnolia Rd.
 Cappers, Murray A., 36 Wendell Park
 Connolly, Joseph, 372 Blue Hills Parkway
 Farrell, Edward J., 96 Warren Ave.
 Garrity, Joseph P., 2A Fairlaw Ave.
 Hiney, Francis J., Jr., 37 Bonad Rd.
 Keddy, James P., 39 Winthrop St.
 Manning, William P., 133 Gulliver St.
 McGee, Edna L., 2 Bonad Rd.
 McPeake, Paul V., 60 Fairbanks Rd.
 Noris, Jeremiah J., 101 Clapp St.
 Thompson, Charles M., Jr., 368 Blue Hills Parkway

Ex-Officio

Shaughnessy, Teresa, 39 Houston Ave., Town Clerk

LIST OF TOWN MEETING MEMBERS FOR THE YEAR 1955 — Continued

TOWN OFFICERS

PRECINCT 5

Term expires March 1958 (Sixteen)
 Abell, Howard, 143 Centre St.
 Campbell, Malcolm D., 214 Highland St.
 Carlson, Harry E., 166 Nahanton Ave.
 Cronin, Joseph M., 30 Thompson Lane
 Draper, C. Mitchell, Jr., 237 Hillside St.
 Field, Spencer, 348 Centre St.
 Folsom, Owen E., 31 Frothingham St.
 Hamilton, Edward P., 145 Dudley Lane
 McSharry, Thomas P., 319 Reedsdale Rd.
 Moore, John B., 27 Thompson Lane
 Robbins, Walter S., 135 Milton St.
 Scott, David T., 41 Meredith Circle
 Swift, Russell, 435 Highland St.
 Whiteside, Howard S., 93 Hillside St.
 Williams, James A., 1006 Canton Ave.
 Wolcott, Samuel H., Jr., 1726 Canton Ave.

Term expires March 1957 (Sixteen)
 Calderwood, Christine T., 270 Hillside St.
 Campbell, James F., 308 Hillside St.
 Cappers, Frank W., Jr., 40 Lyman Rd.
 Carota, Ruth F., 510 Randolph Ave.
 Cronin, George J., 19 Lantern Lane
 Curley, John M., 85 Meredith Circle
 Devens, Charles, 703 Brush Hill Rd.
 Forbes, Hildegard B., 71 Forest St.
 Jensen, John W., 56 Holmes Lane
 Leland, Joseph D., 823 Brush Hill Rd.
 Martin, Roger H., 1238 Canton Ave.
 Meredith, Irving, 67 Canton Rd.
 Murray, A. Ruth, 12 Spafford Rd.
 Schmidt, Richard H., 25 Spafford Rd.
 Swift, Robert W., Jr., 704 Brush Hill Rd.
 Webb, Parker, 36 Spafford Rd.

Term expires March 1956 (Sixteen)
 Alexander, Benjamin R., 143 Woodland Rd.
 Barton, Richard M., 202 Churchills Lane
 Bunting, Kenneth M., 4 Lindbergh Rd.
 Cluett, Eleanor L., 267 Hillside St.
 Craig, Charles E., 25 Mathaurs St.
 Dyson, Edward, 1122 Canton Ave.
 Edwards, Teresa P., 202 Reedsdale Rd.
 Fitzgerald, James F., 1147 Canton Ave.
 Haines, Craig B., 6 Lantern Lane
 Jackson, Donald M., 164 Pleasant St.
 Lunt, Irving G., 12 Coolidge Rd.
 Perry, Richard, 303 Hillside St.
 Porter, Earle F., 21 Mingo St.
 Randlett, A. Douglass, 26 Thompson Lane
 Ryan, John J., Jr., 16 Lantern Lane
 Wendell, Edward E., 1384 Canton Ave.

Ex-Officio

Jaques, Benjamin F., 246 Highland St., Moderator
 Johnson, Edward C., 2d, 1196 Canton Ave., Welfare
 Marshall, Fred Y., 30 Hills View Rd., Sewer
 Sheldon, John E., 1253 Canton Ave., Representative
 Withington, Paul R., 350 Randolph Ave., Health
 Hemenway, John T., 40 Green St., Tree Warden

PRECINCT 6

Term expires March 1958 (Fifteen)
 Bates, Francis C., 453 Adams St.
 Caldwell, William L., 16 Andrews Rd.
 Coleman, Harold F., 111 Otis St.
 Collins, Charles F., 205 Edge Hill Rd.
 Gostray, Joseph, 1233 Brook Rd.
 Lake, Edward P., 22 Glendale Rd.
 Lord, Nathaniel C., 401 Adams St.
 Mathieu, Louis J., 25 Chesterfield Rd.
 McCormick, Harry B., 521 Pleasant St.
 Miller, Herbert H., 365 Pleasant St.
 Moulton, George F., 95 Plymouth Ave.
 Ochs, Paul F., 47 Rowe St.
 Rowe, Carleton A., 454 Adams St.
 Swan, Alfred C., 10 Brae Burn Rd.
 Walters, Frances H., 55 Rowe St.

Term expires March 1957 (Fifteen)
 Cameron, Donald F., 80 Cary Ave.
 Duggan, Mary A., 15 St. Agatha Rd.
 Haley, Francis T., 45 Waldeck Rd.
 Hammond, Christopher G., 21 Otis St.
 Harkins, Francis J., 21 Chesterfield Rd.
 Harris, Leroy S., 300 Edge Hill Rd.
 Hinds, Harriette F., 52 Hollis St.
 Hoxie, William C., 7 Westbourne St.
 McConigle, John F., 27 St. Aratha Rd.
 Moulton, Roy E., 95 Plymouth Ave.
 Moulton, George F., 53 Cary Ave.
 Potter, Alan J., 11 Century Lane
 Reddy, John J., 449 Pleasant St.
 Salzgeber, Gustave A., 63 Plymouth Ave.
 Snyder, Frederick D., 262 Edge Hill Rd.

Term expires March 1956 (Fifteen)
 Armitage, G. Nelson, 115 Otis St. (Deceased 6-20-55)
 Bell, Tilton S., 7 Webster Rd.
 Bent, William E., 31 McKinnon Ave.
 Dunlap, Willard F., 584 Pleasant St.
 Gray, Roland, Jr., 309 Adams St.
 Gunning, Thomas S., Jr., 1093 Brook Rd.
 Hinds, Ray A., 52 Hollis St.
 Keyes, John T., 5 Cary Ave.
 Lynn, Frank G., Jr., 22 Murray Ave.
 Mersch, Henry E., Jr., 21 Waldeck Rd.
 Morgan, Dorothy T., 290 Edge Hill Rd.
 Murphy, Walter J., 4 Augusta Rd.
 O'Donnell, Charles H., 17 Webster Rd.
 Pierce, Ruth E., 297 Adams St.
 Ryan, Timothy G., 26 Hillcrest Rd.

Ex-Officio

Bowie, John H., 18 Webster Rd., Planning Board
 Bowie, Robert, 42 Webster Rd., Assessor

LIST OF TOWN MEETING MEMBERS FOR THE YEAR 1955 — Continued

PRECINCT 7

Term expires March 1958 (Fourteen)
 Blake, Robert J., Jr., 14 Church St.
 Bush, Herbert L., 107 Church St.
 Carter, Farquhar D., 31 Granite Place
 Clapp, Leighton A., 147 Church St.
 Coghlan, Edward M., 11 Bates Rd.
 Currier, Walter E., 51 Granite Place
 Deering, Noel W., 38 Emerson Rd.
 Duggan, Daniel E., Jr., 4 Pierce St.
 Fusoni, Joseph A., 60 Pierce St.
 Hodges, Edward T., Q., 39 Church St.
 Hoxie, Charles B., 61 Washington St.
 Manning, M. Joseph, Jr., 583 Adams St.
 Watson, Donald J., 38 Pierce St.
 Wood, Horace, 141 Church St.

Term expires March 1957 (Fourteen)
 Conly, Walter W., 39 Howe St.
 Coughlin, Alice J., 74 Courtland Circle
 Covey, Channing R., 18 Victory Ave.
 Duffy, Charles F., 35 Granite Place
 Fanning, Brendan E., 31 State St.
 Finerty, Frank P., 31 State St.
 Giolosa, Annamay M., 11 Church St.
 Glennon, Richard M., 63 Granite Place
 Lyons, John P., 20 Antwerp St.
 Malloy, Thomas C., 20 Pine Grove St.
 Paolucci, Virginius, 18 Pigrim Rd.
 Roemer, Harry E., 24 Church St.
 Watson, Duncan A., 88 Pierce St.
 Wood, Albert, 290 Granite Ave

Term expires March 1956 (Fourteen)
 Abel, Alexander J., 105 Washington St.
 Choate, George F., 6 Martin Ter.
 Condon, John F., 300 Granite Ave.
 Couper, Sidney M., 124 Wood St.
 Esau, William S., 46 Grafton Ave.
 Finerty, Edward J., 45 Wood St.
 Foster, Robert E., 18 Pierce St.
 Gustafson, William C., 10 Antwerp St.
 Hollidge, David E., 96 Granite Place
 Lamere, Robert K., 549 Adams St.
 McCormack, Samuel F., 25 Sheldon St.
 Morrisette, George E., 34 Grafton Ave.
 Sheppard, P. Bradford, 37 Wood St.
 White, John F., 644 Adams St.

Ex-Officio

Duggan, Daniel E., 3 Martin Ter. Selectman
 Manning, M. Joseph, Jr., 583 Adams St., Park

TOWN OFFICERS

TOWN OFFICERS OF MILTON
APPOINTED BY SELECTMEN

Local Superintendent for the Suppression of Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths
JOHN T. HEMENWAY

Town Counsel
FRANK B. FREDERICK

Assistant Town Counsel
MELVIN E. DOLAN

Legislative Counsel
FRANK B. FREDERICK

Town Engineer
ALEXANDER E. MANNING

Acting Chief of Police
RICHARD F. CHAMBERLAIN*

Chief of Police
JOHN E. WHEARTY

Chief of Fire Department
FRED E. WHELAN

Superintendent of Streets
JAMES J. MALONEY, Jr.

Forest Warden
FRED E. WHELAN

*Insurance Advisor-Agent of Industrial Accident Board and Representative
to confer with New England Insurance Exchange*
JOHN T. ROCKWOOD

Sealer of Weights and Measures
FREDERICK L. RIPLEY

Inspector of Wires
MARSHALL B. MacMILLAN

Secretary to the Board of Selectmen
MARTHA M. TABER

Assistant Secretary to the Board of Selectmen
M. GERTRUDE REID

Building Inspector
GERGE P. BLENKHORN

Keeper of Lockup
JOHN E. WHEARTY

Veterans' Agent
MARTHA M. TABER

Burial Agent
MARTHA M. TABER

Superintendent, Town Hall and Thacher Building
ROGER P. SANGSTER

Town Accountant
JOSEPHINE M. McATEER

Public Weigher
RANDOLPH F. TAYLOR

Public Weigher of Hay, Grain and Straw
WILLIAM H. O'LEARY

*Retired

TOWN OFFICERS

Registrars of Voters

TERESA SHAUGHNESSY, Town Clerk (*ex officio*)
THOMAS J. MOORE

W. RUSSELL PIERCE
FRANCIS W. MANNING

Art Commissioners

CLIFTON L. FASCH

JOSEPH D. LELAND

HELENA G. TROY

Fence Viewers

RICHARD H. SCHMIDT

GEORGE N. HURD, Jr.

Agent, "Peabody Fund"

MRS. RODERICK STEBBINS

APPOINTED BY THE MODERATOR

Board of Appeals

BLAKE G. CRUCKSHANK

JOHN M. CURLEY

EDWARD C. JOHNSON 2d

APPOINTED BY THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS

Secretary

BERTHA M. JOHNSON

Assistant Secretary

RUTH A. DODD

Clerk

BETTY L. MYERS

APPOINTED BY THE BUILDING INSPECTOR

Deputy Building Inspector

FRED P. CARLSON

Inspector of Plumbing

LORENZO E. YOUNG

Deputy Inspector of Plumbing

JOHN M. HANNIGAN

APPOINTED BY THE BOARD OF HEALTH

Inspector of Milk

HOWARD A. SMITH

Inspector of Animals and Slaughter

ANN HEFFLER, D.V.M.

Agent

EDWIN S. WARRELL

APPOINTED BY THE CEMETERY TRUSTEES

Superintendent of Cemetery

ALBERT G. MARTIN

APPOINTED BY THE LIBRARY TRUSTEES

Librarian

MARJORIE R. SHAW

APPOINTED BY THE PARK COMMISSIONERS

Superintendent of Parks

JOHN L. KELLY

APPOINTED BY THE SEWER COMMISSIONERS

Superintendent of Sewers

C. FRED JOY, Jr.

APPOINTED BY THE WATER COMMISSIONERS

Superintendent of Water Department

MICHAEL J. HANNIGAN

APPOINTED BY THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE

Agent

MARGUERITE MOYNIHAN

TOWN OFFICERS

LIST OF JURORS AS PREPARED BY THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN OF MILTON, 1955

Name	Residence	Business or Occupation
Ahearn, Timothy J.	58 Frothingham Street	Freight Claim Agent
Aiken, Charles L.	2 Columbia Park	Meat Packer
Albers, William E.	42 Spafford Road	Salesman
Andresen, Robert C.	12 Stanton Road	Woodworker - Joiner
Avery, Lester A.	94 Clapp Street	Photographer
Bailey, Raymond J.	129 Blue Hills Pkwy.	Local Telephone Testman
Baker, Clare H.	68 Mingo Street	Truck Driver
Barry, Frederick G.	7 Crane Road	Agent
Barkin, Ira M.	12 Phyllis Lane	Electrician
Bartlett, Velma C.	12 Allerton Road	Housewife
Beattie, William J.	21 Austin Street	Printing Pressman
Bernat, Elva I.	50 Brush Hill Lane	Interior Decorator
Beucler, Thomas C.	46 Pond Street	Plumbing Supply House
Boris, Priscilla D.	97 Audubon Road	Housewife
Bradley, John F.	76 Robbins Street	Architect
Bradley, William L.	246 Thacher Street	Salesman
Brennan, William J.	134 Nahanton Avenue	PBX Repairman
Brooks, Charles S.	38 State Street	Foreman Carpenter
Brown, Harold D.	39 Brook Hill Road	Retired (Clk.), (Invst. Bkr.)
Bunstein, Herman G.	8 Hurlcroft Road	Salesman and Partner
Burns, J. Francis	76 Cliff Road	Installing Telephone Equip.
Butterworth, Percy T.	124 Pleasant Street	Electrical Engineer
Byrnes, C. Joseph	112 Squantum Street	Telephone Co. Employee
Caldwell, Andrew N.	17 Hawthorne Road	Fid. and Sur. Bond Undwtr.
Cameron, Francis J.	209 Churchills Lane	Sheet Metal Worker
Campbell, Mary F.	70 Morton Road	Housewife
Canon, George A., Jr.	11 Capen Street	Custodian
Canon, William M.	5 Pagoda Street	Sheet Metal Worker
Carmichael, Ralph L.	40 Bassett Street	Grossman Employee
Chalmers, John W.	204 Granite Avenue	Repairman
Chute, Ernest F.	50 Rustlewood Road	Equipment Engineer
Clark, Helen S.	160 Beacon Street	Real Estate
Cohan, Margaret V.	89 Wendell Park—East	Homemaker
Coleman, Benjamin B. B.	360 Thacher Street	Electrician
Comer, Thomas E.	56 Magnolia Road	Salesman
Connelly, Mary C.	664 Adams Street	Life Insurance Agent
Cooper, John P.	92 Brook Road	Inside Machinist
Corbett, Francis J.	33 Thompson Lane	Draftsman
Cowan, Joseph M.	35 Winthrop Street	Lumber Business
Cronin, Albert E.	173 Central Avenue	Sales Representative
Cronin, John J.	2 Berlin Avenue	Insurance
Cronin, Joseph A.	27 Aberdeen Road	Decorator
Crook, Clarence B.	3 Miller Avenue	Investigator
Cull, Allen P.	42 Church Street	Telephone Inspector
Cullen, Margaret E.	17 Belvoir Road	Housewife
Cully, Thomas F.	299 Granite Avenue	Salesman
Currier, Joseph H.	55 Westvale Road	Design Draftsman
Curtis, Harvey C.	442 Central Avenue	Clerk
Cushing, Howard	47 Revere Street	Salesman
Dahlbo, Edla E.	46 Bassett Street	Housewife
Dalco, Helen C.	82 Cheever Street	Housewife
Daniell, Walter W.	9 Hoy Terrace	Salesman
Davie, John T.	525 Eliot Street	Senior Clerk
Dawley, James F.	625 Canton Avenue	Porter
Delaney, Leo M.	51 Marilyn Road	Automobile Salesman
Dias, John J.	126 Audubon Road	Welder
Dingwell, Harold R.	349 Highland Street	Carpenter
Dodge, Norman L.	55 Hills View Road	Bookselling
Doliver, Leonard	5 Orono Street	Automobile Salesman
Donahue, Andrew J., Jr.	79 Victoria Street	Central Office Repairman
Donovan, William E., Sr.	109 Smith Road	Testman
Downey, Edward H.	60 Badger Circle	Manufacturer's Rep. (Com.)
Doyle, Arthur	44 Rowe Street	Commercial Fisherman
Doyle, Michael J.	56 Martin Road	Leather Sorter
Dragon, Dorothy E.	70 Washington Street	Laundry Worker
Drain, Donald J.	185 Gun Hill Street	Insurance
Duffy, Ida F.	611 Canton Avenue	Housewife

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Edwards, William J.	231 Edge Hill Road	Architect
Eldridge, Reuben T.	59 Concord Avenue	Photo-engraving
Elliott, Roy H.	38 Glendale Road	Maintenance Dept.
Elsden, Francis J.	10 Kahler Avenue	Central Office Installer
Fabian, John T.	40 Blue Hill Terrace St.	Insurance Investigator
Fanning, Vincent C.	46 Sheldon Street	Edison Co. Employee
Faretra, Robert F.	6 Alden Road	Clerk
Farrington, Arthur E.	24 Lufbery Street	Fire Protection Eng'r
Faxon, Raymond H.	22 Greenleaf Road	Real Estate
Fay, Philip	32 Sias Lane	Realtor
Feeley, John M.	480 Randolph Avenue	Salesman—Dye Stuff - Chem.
Feldman, Joseph	523 Blue Hills Pkwy	Installment Business
Finn, George R.	10 Lantern Lane	Executive
Fish, Harold D.	22 Lawndale Road	Wool Buyer—Grp. Tex. Mills
Fitzgerald, William P.	102 Decker Street	Salesman—Bldg. Materials
Fitzmaurice, Edward L.	39 Oak Road	Agent—Real Estate
Flanagan, James H.	64 Nancy Road	Testman
Flynn, George A.	9 Aberdeen Road	Safety Engineer
Foster, Frank H., Jr.	18 Pierce Street	Electrician
Foster, James V.	23 Adrian Road	Sales Manager
Fowler, Dale M.	28 Grove Street	Service Manager
Fox, Harry T.	6 Eliot Circle	Retail Furniture Salesman
Fraser, Robert C.	419 Adams Street	Plumber
Fraser, Martin E.	78 Belcher Circle	Television Serviceman
Frederick, Elizabeth H.	45 Morton Road	Lec. in Psychology 4 hrs. wk.
Freeman, Irene B.	65 Elm Street	Housewife
Friel, James N.	104 Culliver Street	Automobile Mechanic
Frost, Charles K.	32 Cary Avenue	Retired (for'y Pres.-Treas.)
Fruean, Rena B.	14 Hope Avenue	Housewife
Gallery, John E.	126 Elm Street	Asso. Mgr., Life Ins. Sales
Gillis, John A.	47 Callamore Street	Carpenter
Grant, Frederick W.	90 Grafton Avenue	Central Office Switchman
Griffith, Charles E.	25 Century Lane	Insurance Broker
Grundy, Evelyn D.	940 Brush Hill Road	Housewife
Guest, Anthony M.	55 Silver Brook Road	PBX Installer
Haigh, William	886 Brush Hill Road	Stock Clerk
Hamel, Wilfred A.	244 Adams Street	Ship Supplies—Treasurer
Hammel, Fred K.	26 Bartons Lane	Head Waiter
Harbour, George W.	60 Valley Road	Comptroller
Harding, Parkman D.	6 West Side Road	Accountant
Harrington, Henry W.	19 Holborn Street	Engraver
Harrington, Paul F.	61 Marilyn Road	Ins. Broker and Underwriter
Harris, Donald H.	31 School Street	Steamfitter
Hedge, Francis D.	27 Allerton Road	Drug Salesman
Hersey, Alfred L.	35 Lodge Street	Helper
Hill, Gladys L.	15 Fairfax Road	Housewife
Hill, Thomas P.	69 Beacon Street	Office Mgr. and Accountant
Hodge, May Eunice	89 Hudson Street	Housewife
Holden, Frederick H.	37 Churchill Street	Machinist
Holmes, Elmer S.	67 Maple Street	Cable Splicer
Howie, Chester G.	69 Garden Street	Accountant
Howland, Alice F.	144 Randolph Avenue	Housewife
Hunsaker, James P.	179 Dudley Lane	Engineer
Huntley, Russell M.	288 Reedsdale Road	Fish Dealer—Self-employed
Hurley, James C.	51 Curtis Road	Boiler Maker
Hurley, Joseph J.	38 Denmark Avenue	Printer, Printing Pressman
Hyland, Edward J.	5 Johnson Street	Floor Switchman
Johnson, Carl E.	81 Cliff Road	Awning Manufacturer
Johnson, Katherine H.	1 Howard Street	Housewife
Jones, Edmund F.	26 Hollis Street	Analyst in Mktg. Serv. Dept.
Jones, Gerard V.	27 Grafton Avenue	Insurance
Keenan, John R.	79 Brook Hill Road	Liability Claims Adjuster
Kelley, Austin M.	16 Marilyn Road	Insurance
Kenney, Theodore E.	38 Houston Avenue	Carpenter and Builder
Kippenberger, William F.	147 Ferncroft Road	Electrician
Klehm, William F.	120 Granite Place	Meat Cutter
Landers, William B.	62 Avalon Road	Steel Worker
LaPorta, Fortunata	267 Blue Hills Pkwy.	Real Estate
Laurie, John R.	63 Blue Hill Avenue	Truck Driver
Law, Laurence W.	67 Robbins Street	Executive

TOWN OFFICERS

Name	Residence	Business or Occupation
Lent, Alice E.	167 Brook Road	Housewife
Lewis, Bradford H.	78 Washington Street	Accountant
Lightman, Samuel	11 Dyer Avenue	Upholstering (Foreman)
Lloyd, Waldo E.	7 Squantum Street	Service Manager
Lunt, Frank W.	255 Eliot Street	Millwright
Luther, Harriet M.	190 Reedsdale Road	Housewife
Lyons, John J.	24 St. Mary's Road	Telephone Employee
MacDonald, Duncan H.	58 Lodge Street	Electrician
MacDonald, Olive E.	571 Adams Street	Housewife
MacNeil, George A.	73 Dexter Street	Salesman
MacWilliam, W. Russell	48 Brush Hill Road	Printer, Composition Dept.
Mahoney, Genevieve M.	9 Columbine Road	Housewife
Martin, Vivian D.	12 Hillcrest Road	Housewife
Marshall, David R.	50 Hudson Street	General Supt.
Mathieu, Janet A.	25 Chesterfield Road	Housewife
Matthews, Harold	461 Centre Street	Analytical Chem. (Unemp.)
Molloy, Thomas J., Jr.	6 Morton Terrace	Field Investigator
McAuliffe, Edith E.	222 Blue Hill Avenue	Housewife
McCarthy, Roger J.	17 Laurel Road	Letter Carrier
McCawley, Charles A.	344 Central Avenue	Technical Adviser
McCormack, Thomas W.	48 Collamore Street	Retired—Princ. Examiner
McDonough, Michael J.	64 Elton Road	Salesman, Phys. - Hosp. Sup.
McEntee, Joseph A.	26 Quarry Lane	Retired—Carpenter
McGettrick, John J.	51 Concord Avenue	Line Assigner
McLaughlin, Daniel	27 Harold Street	Salesman
McLean, Howard M.	28 Cheever Street	Maintenance Man
Merrill, Ernestine	71 Fullers Lane	Housewife
Moore, Margaret H.	18 Brae Burn Road	Clerk
Morrissey, Dorothy	11 Gordon Road	Housewife
Mortimer, George W.	11 Bailey Avenue	Toolmaker
Murdoch, Frank E.	18 Longwood Road	Travelling Salesman
Murdock, Howard S.	329 Central Avenue	District Manager
Nichols, Radcliffe D.	75 Oak Street	Mill and Carpenter Work
Nolet, L. Doris	91 Emerson Road	Sec. to Supt. of Bakery Dept.
Norton, Charles E.	34 Laurel Road	Bank Clerk
Nugent, Joan M.	102 Antwerp Street	Service Representative
Olsson, Ingeborg C.	30 Harold Street	Housewife
Ovaska, Walter A.	5 Artwill Street	Asst. Sales Manager
Parker, Calvin E.	15 Mathaurs Street	Air Cond. and Maint. Work
Parker, Randolph W.	51 Park Street	Clerk
Parmenter, Fred A.	27 Clifton Road	Cost Control Clerk
Parr, Edward M.	286 Garfield Ave. Ext.	Clerk—Package Store
Pearson, Eric H.	44 Rustlewood Road	Salesman—Self-employed
Pegram, William B.	90 Forbes Road	Chief Engineer
Pereira, Henry J.	76 Howe Street	Bank Teller
Perola, Anthony E.	5 Adanac Road	Garage Owner and Operator
Peterson, Walter F.	60 Walnut Street	Accountant and Office Mgr.
Phelan, Finton J.	16 Augusta Road	Sales Manager
Pond, Mildred C.	13 Crane Road	Housewife
Pope, Ralph L., Jr.	97 Randolph Avenue	Leather Merchant
Power, Henry A.	10 Fairlawn Avenue	Sales Manager
Powers, Ralph A.	29 Sias Lane	Head of Meter Maint. Div.
Prall, John E.	10 Weston Street	Painter
Rae, James C.	395 Hillside Street	Solicitor
Reddington, John J.	77 Cary Avenue	Elec. Engr., Pres. and Treas.
Reid, Helen J.	33 Harold Street	Housewife
Reycroft, Charles E.	15 Brackett Street	Steel Worker
Richards, Ona	27 Fairbanks Road	Housewife
Rowbotham, C. Melbourne	42 Hills View Road	Wool Merchant
Russell, Lydia M.	17 Landon Road	Housewife
Rutecki, John E.	97 Nahanton Avenue	Elec. Service Engineer
Sanford, Russell M.	96 Capen Street	Automobile Mechanic
Schwarz, Frances A.	64 School Street	Cosmetic Consult., Part time
Sheridan, Peter T.	36 Coolidge Road	Bartender
Simmons, Frederick B.	4 Melbourne Road	Asst. Sales Manager
Smith, Charles R.	39 Pine Grove Street	Foundry Worker
Smith, John H.	1030 Canton Avenue	Salesman
Smith, Lester I.	225 Lyman Road	Prop., Bowling Alley
Smith, Theodora R.	588 Brush Hill Road	Housewife

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Name	Residence	Business or Occupation
Smith, William H.	8 Webster Road	Supervisor
Sneddon, David C.	21 Lothrop Avenue	Foreman, Mfr. Aluminum
Stafford, Edward J.	28 Warren Avenue	Food Broker, Real Est. Agt.
Stevens, Robert H.	11 Clay Street	Electronics Technician
Sutton, Robert A.	50 Blue Hills Pkwy.	Unemp.—Shipbuilding Insp.
Swan, Alfred C.	10 Brae Burn Road	Sheet Metal Foreman
Taylor, Timothy A.	11 Maitland Street	Truck Driver
Thompson, Charles M., Jr.	368 Blue Hills Parkway	Branch Mgr. and Repre'tive
Thurman, Irving A.	17 Craig Street	Newspaper Pressman
Tolland, William O.	27 Bates Road	Paper Mill Employee
Travers, James A.	48 Hawthorne Road	Supv. of Transportation
Trower, Ralph E.	16 Edward Avenue	Exec., Treas., Asst. Sec., Dir.
Turner, Horace E.	19 Gaskins Road	Sales Mgr. for Adv. Co.
Tuttle, Theodore F.	1050 Canton Avenue	Gen. Underwriting Mgr.
Urquhart, Robert A.	25 Crown Street	Accountant
Utle, Charles N.	65 Essex Road	Dental Technician
Varnerin, Albert J.	44 California Avenue	Insurance Agent
Vitale, Anthony	40 Lafayette Street	Laundry Truck Driver
Wakefield, Scott G.	25 Cape Cod Lane	Manufacturers' Repre'tative
Walker, Francis	17 Cheever Street	Electronic Mech.—1st Class
Walsh, Joseph F.	1093 Brook Road	Salesman
Warford, Robert A.	24 Chilton Park	Ass't Yard Mstr., S. Boston
Watson, Florence F.	168 Blue Hills Pkwy.	Relief duty 2 days a week
Weeden, Ellen M.	121 Otis Street	Housewife
Wehter, William W.	41 Spruce Street	Body Shop Foreman
Weisse, Margaret C.	223 Central Avenue	Housewife
Wester, Olof K.	43 Orchard Road	Carpenter Foreman
Wentworth, Foster W.	29 Parkway Crescent	Automobile Repair Shop
Wheelock, Clyde O.	52 Cedar Terrace St.	Trucking Business
White, Elliott H.	24 Sheldon Street	Chemist
White, Helen A.	1031 Brush Hill Road	Housewife
Whitham, Jay M.	525 Brook Road	Garage Manager
Williams, Leo F.	86 Church Street	Dist. Const. Supervisor
Wilson, Alva T.	185 Beacon Street	Research Chemist
Woods, John L.	72 Reservation Road	Manager Coal Co.
Ziegler, Louis E.	1206 Brook Road	Clerk

June 30, 1955

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PRECINCT OFFICERS APPOINTED BY THE SELECTMEN

Under Provisions of Chapter 49 of the Acts of 1928

Precinct 1

Carl H. Kullen	39 Hudson Street	(87) R	Warden
Harold V. Burt	151 Blue Hill Avenue	(87) R	Deputy Warden
John J. Donovan	91 Brook Road	(87) D	Clerk
William F. Walsh	21 Tucker Street	(87) D	Deputy Clerk
Joseph B. Mooney	64 Audubon Road	(87)	Inspector
Robert F. Krim	95 Brook Road	(87)	Inspector
Francis J. Poleski	87 Robbins Street	(86)	Deputy Inspector
Robert C. Dun'can	52 Brush Hill Road	(87) R	Deputy Inspector

Precinct 2

Walter H. Cavanaugh	36 Marilyn Road	(87) R	Warden
Frank Delaney	28 Dyer Avenue	(87) R	Deputy Warden
Coleman J. Kennedy	133 Thacher Street	(87)	Clerk
Lawrence D. Donovan	137 Thacher Street	(87)	Deputy Clerk
John J. Ferren	22 Marilyn Road	(87)	Inspector
Theodore E. Parker	55 Marilyn Road	(87) R	Inspector
William J. Schwendemann	6 Kahler Avenue	(87) D	Deputy Inspector
Decran J. Gulesian	751 Brook Road	(86) R	Deputy Inspector

Precinct 3

T. Francis Fallon	162 Eliot Street	(87) D	Warden
Francis J. Ward	76 Eliot Street	(87) D	Deputy Warden
George A. Lobban	103 Central Avenue	(87) R	Clerk
Thomas J. Moore	259 Eliot Street	(87) D	Deputy Clerk
Herman F. Clark	224 Eliot Street	(87) R	Inspector
W. Russell Pierce	14 Rock View Road	(87) R	Inspector
Horace J. Lawrence	13 School Street	(87) D	Deputy Inspector
James F. Henry	60 Eliot Street	(87) D	Deputy Inspector

Precinct 4

Charles E. Cross	51 Houston Avenue	(87) R	Warden
Alfred W. Porter	17 Bonad Road	(86) D	Deputy Warden
Robert J. Shaughnessy	3 Francis Street	(87)	Clerk
Benjamin B. B. Coleman	360 Thacher Street	(86) R	Deputy Clerk
Alfred V. Huntley, Jr.	103 Wendell Park	(86) R	Inspector
M. Joseph Manning	243 Thacher Street	(86) D	Inspector
Henry V. Nelson	248 Blue Hills Parkway	(87) R	Deputy Inspector
George F. Steptoe	37 Meagher Avenue	(87) D	Deputy Inspector

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Precinct 5

Frederick W. Kurth	15 Wildwood Road	(86) R	Warden
Stanley F. Snell	25 Lodge Street	(86) R	Deputy Warden
John J. Monahan	98 Pleasant Street	(86) D	Clerk
Charles J. McCawley	153 Centre Street	(86)	Deputy Clerk
Nathan L. Pond	212 Centre Street	(86) R	Inspector
Alfred L. Mullen	36 Pleasant Street	(86) R	Inspector
John P. Byrne	942 Blue Hill Avenue	(86) D	Deputy Inspector
Howard A. Smith	208 Churchills Lane	(86) R	Deputy Inspector

Precinct 6

Henry J. Quinn	44 Governors Road	(86) D	Warden
Ralph E. DuMoulin	78 Reservation Road	(86)	Deputy Warden
John T. O'Leary	11 Fullers Lane	(86)	Clerk
Arthur E. Brackett	70 Governors Road	(86) R	Deputy Clerk
Alfred J. Martin	639 Pleasant Street	(86) R	Inspector
Carl V. Payson	336 Pleasant Street	(86) R	Inspector
George F. Moulton	95 Plymouth Avenue	(86) R	Deputy Inspector
Roland A. Bourdon	11 Glendale Road	(86) R	Deputy Inspector

Precinct 7

George E. Johnson	162 Church Street	(86) R	Warden
Robert E. Foster	18 Pierce Street	(86) R	Deputy Warden
Thomas W. McCormack	48 Collamore Street	(86)	Clerk
Bradford H. Lewis	78 Washington Street	(86) R	Deputy Clerk
Frank H. Foster, Jr.	18 Pierce Street	(86) R	Inspector
Donald R. Ellis	494 Granite Avenue	(86) R	Inspector
Paul V. Morissette	34 Grafton Avenue	(86) D	Deputy Inspector
Frank J. Gannon	16 Wood Street	(86) R	Deputy Inspector

GENERAL BYLAWS

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Town of Milton, March 10, 1934

AS AMENDED

CHAPTER 1

General Provisions

SECTION 1. The bylaws of the Town adopted March 2, 1902, may be designated as heretofore, as the "Revised Bylaws," but said revised bylaws as heretofore or at this meeting amended may be designated as the General Bylaws.

SECTION 2. So far as the provisions of these bylaws are the same in effect as those of previously existing bylaws, they shall be construed as a continuation of such bylaws but, subject to said limitations and the provisions of the next section, all bylaws of the Town heretofore in force are hereby repealed; provided that this repeal shall not apply to or affect any bylaw, order, or article heretofore adopted, accepting or adopting the provisions of any statute of the Commonwealth.

SECTION 3. These bylaws and the repeal of all bylaws heretofore in force shall not affect any act done, any right accrued, any penalty or liability incurred, or any suit, prosecution, or proceeding, pending at the time when they take effect; nor shall the repeal of any bylaw thereby have the effect of reviving any bylaw theretofore repealed or suspended.

SECTION 4. When in a bylaw anything is prohibited from being done without the license or permission of a certain officer, officers or board, such officer, officers, or board shall have the power to license or permit such thing to be done.

SECTION 5. In all these bylaws the following words and expressions shall, unless inconsistent with the manifest intent, be severally construed as follows:—

The word public way shall include any highway, town way, road, bridge, street, avenue, boulevard, roadway, parkway, lane, sidewalk or square; the owner or occupant of a building or land shall include any sole owner or occupant, and any joint tenant and tenant in common of the whole or of any part of a building or lot of land; words purporting to give a joint authority to three or more officers or other persons shall give such authority to a majority of such officers or persons; the word person may include corporations; words importing the singular number may apply to the plural number, and words importing the masculine gender may apply to the feminine gender.

SECTION 6. Whoever violates any of the provisions of these bylaws whereby any act or thing is enjoined or prohibited, shall, unless other provision is expressly made, forfeit and pay a fine not exceeding twenty dollars for each offence.

SECTION 7. Whoever shall refuse or neglect to obey any lawful order of any Town officer or board of Town officers, issued under any of these bylaws, directed to him and properly served upon him, shall, in cases not otherwise provided for, forfeit and pay for every such offence a fine not exceeding twenty dollars.

SECTION 8. Prosecutions for the breach of any of the provisions of these bylaws shall be commenced within six months from such breach.

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SECTION 9. Any or all of these bylaws may be repealed or amended or other bylaws may be adopted, at any Town meeting, annual or special, an article containing the subject-matter of the proposed change having been inserted in the warrant for such meeting.

CHAPTER 2

Town Meetings

SECTION 1. The warrants for all Town meetings shall be directed to the constables of the Town, and notice of such meetings shall be given by posting attested copies of the warrant in each of the post-offices of the Town at least seven days, and by leaving printed copies thereof at the dwelling-houses in the Town at least four days, before the day of such meetings.

SECTION 2. The annual meeting for the election of Town Officers shall be held upon the first Saturday of March, the polls to be open from eight o'clock in the forenoon until six o'clock in the afternoon for the election of such Town Officers and the determination of such matters as by law are required to be elected or determined by ballot. All such officers shall be voted for and all such matters shall be determined on official ballots.

SECTION 3. All business except the election of such officers and the determination of such matters as by law are required to be elected or determined by ballot shall be considered at an adjournment of the annual meeting to the second Saturday of March at one-thirty o'clock in the afternoon.

SECTION 4. All motions shall, if required by the Moderator, be reduced to writing before being submitted to the meeting. If a motion is susceptible of division it shall be divided and the question put separately upon each part thereof if ten town meeting members so request.

SECTION 5. Upon taking the question, the sense of the meeting shall be taken by the voices of the town meeting members and the Moderator shall first announce the vote as it appears to him by the sound.

If the Moderator is unable to decide by the sound of the voices or if his announcement made thereupon is doubted by seven town meeting members arising in their places for that purpose, the Moderator shall request the town meeting members to be seated, and shall appoint tellers; the question then shall be distinctly stated, and those in the affirmative and negative respectively shall be requested to rise and stand in their places until they are counted by the tellers, who shall report their count to the Moderator, who thereupon shall announce the vote. If the vote is further doubted and twenty-five town meeting members arise in their places and ask for a division of the meeting by the taking of the yeas and the nays, then the roll of the meeting shall be called in alphabetical order by the Town Clerk, and each town meeting member shall rise in his place if he answers yea or nay when his name is called, and the Moderator shall announce the vote. No town meeting member shall be allowed to vote after the vote is declared.

SECTION 6. No vote shall be reconsidered at the same meeting, except upon a motion made within one hour of the adoption of such vote, unless ordered by two-thirds of the town meeting members present and voting thereon, provided that the time which shall elapse between any adjournment and the next calling to order of the meeting following such adjournment shall be excluded in computing the hour since the adoption of said vote.

SECTION 7. If a motion for the previous question is adopted by vote of the meet-

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ing no person shall speak to the motion then under consideration more than once or for longer than five minutes without a vote of permission of the meeting, except that the Chairman of the Warrant Committee may speak again to close the debate, but not for more than five minutes.

SECTION 8. When a question is before the meeting, the following motions, viz:—

- to adjourn,
- to lay on the table,
- for the previous question,
- to postpone to a certain time,
- to commit (or recommit) or refer,
- to amend or substitute,

shall have precedence in the order in which they are placed in this section; but no article in the warrant shall be finally disposed of by a vote to lay on the table, to postpone indefinitely, or to take no action thereunder. In proposed amendments, involving amounts or dates, the smallest amount and the shortest time shall be put first.

SECTION 9. Any person who is employed as an attorney by another person interested in any matter under discussion at a Town meeting shall disclose the fact of his employment before speaking thereon.

SECTION 10. No appropriation of a sum of money exceeding five hundred dollars shall be made until the subject matter thereof has been considered and estimates reported to the Town, either by the Selectmen or other town officers, or by the Warrant Committee or some committee chosen for the purpose in pursuance of a vote of the Town.

CHAPTER 3

The Warrant Committee

SECTION 1. The Town shall have an advisory committee to be known as the Warrant Committee consisting of fifteen legal voters of the Town. On or before the first day of June in each year the Moderator shall appoint fifteen members to the Warrant Committee each of whom shall serve for a term of one year beginning on the first day of June in the year of appointment.

SECTION 2. The Warrant Committee shall, prior to the fifteenth day of June in each year, meet, at the call of the member thereof first named, for organization by the choice of a chairman and secretary. And they shall meet thereafter from time to time as they may deem advisable.

a. They shall have power to fill vacancies in their number by vote, attested copy of which shall be sent by the secretary to the Town Clerk.

SECTION 3. It shall be the duty of the Warrant Committee to inform themselves concerning those affairs and interests of the Town, the subject-matter of which is generally included in the warrants for its Town meeting; and the officers of the Town shall, upon their request, furnish them with facts, figures, and any other information pertaining to their several departments; provided, however, that any such information may be withheld when, in the opinion of the officer or board of officers so requested, the communication thereof might injuriously affect the interests of the Town or its citizens.

SECTION 4. The Warrant Committee shall consider the various articles in the warrants for all the Town Meetings held during the period for which they were

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appointed including the various articles in the warrant for the annual Town Meeting next after their appointment; they shall also consider all questions submitted to the voters of the Town at any meeting, including State elections; and they shall report in print before all such meetings their estimates and recommendations for the action of the Town. Copies of such reports shall be left at the dwelling houses in the Town at least four days before the day set for consideration of the various articles in the warrant considered by them and at least four days before the day upon which the voters are to consider questions submitted to them at any meeting including State elections.

a. On or before November first of each year each board, committee or officer of the Town shall file with the Selectmen, who shall transmit the same to the Warrant Committee, a statement in detail of the appropriation or appropriations recommended by such board, committee or officer for the work under its or his charge for the ensuing year.

b. The Warrant Committee shall include in its report of recommendations for the annual Town Meeting a statement setting forth the total appropriations so requested, the appropriations recommended, and the totals of such appropriations requested and recommended, and an estimate of the tax rate for the ensuing year if such recommendations are adopted.

CHAPTER 4

The Town's Finances and Property

SECTION 1. The Selectmen shall annually, not less than seven days before the annual town meeting, cause to be printed such number of copies of the annual town report as they shall determine to be sufficient for the use of the inhabitants. Such report shall contain a detailed report of all moneys received into and paid out of the Town treasury during the financial year next preceding, with such information and recommendations as the Selectmen may deem proper; the report of the school committee; the records of the meetings of the Town held since the last annual report, the report of the collector of taxes, of receipts, payments and abatements; a list of births, marriages and deaths, to be furnished by the town clerk; statements concerning the condition and funds of the public library and of the cemetery, to be furnished by the trustees thereof respectively, and statements of all other funds belonging to the Town or held for the benefit of its inhabitants; a statement of the liability of the Town on bonds, notes, certificates of indebtedness, or otherwise, and of the total money paid the Town for perpetual care of cemetery lots; and such other matters as the said report is required by law to contain, or as may be inserted by the Selectmen under the discretion granted them by law.

SECTION 2. No officer of the Town shall in his official capacity make or pass upon or participate in making or passing upon, any sale, contract or agreement or the terms or amount of any payment in which the Town is interested and in which such officer has any personal interest.

SECTION 3. The Warrant Committee shall send to the Selectmen and to the town accountant certified copies of all votes whereby transfers are made out of the Reserve Fund for extraordinary or unforeseen expenditures.

SECTION 4. The Selectmen shall have full authority as agents of the Town to institute and prosecute suits in the name of the Town or its officers in their official capacity and to appear and defend suits brought against it or its officers in their official capacity, unless otherwise ordered by a vote of the Town.

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SECTION 5. Whenever it shall be necessary to execute any deed conveying land or other instrument required to carry into effect any vote of the Town, the same shall be executed by the Selectmen, or a majority thereof, in behalf of the Town, unless otherwise ordered by a vote of the Town.

SECTION 6. The Selectmen shall appoint a Town Accountant who shall perform the duties prescribed by law. There shall annually be an audit of the accounts of the Town under the supervision of the State Director of Accounts, as provided in General Laws, Chapter 44, section 35.

SECTION 7. Whenever damages may be recovered against the Town under General Laws, chapter 79, entitled "Eminent Domain," the Selectmen, unless otherwise provided by vote of the Town, may exercise in the name and behalf of the Town all the powers granted in section 39 of said chapter relative to settlement of damages, assumption of betterments, offers of settlement, and other matters in said section contained.

SECTION 8. The collector of taxes shall collect, under the title of Town Collector, all accounts due the Town, excepting interest on investments of sinking or trust funds. If it shall seem advisable to the town collector that suit or suits should be instituted and prosecuted in the name of the Town, in connection with the collection of any accounts due to the Town, he shall so advise the Selectmen who shall have authority as agents of the Town to institute and prosecute the same.

SECTION 9. In addition to the authority to them granted by section 8, the selectmen shall have authority as agents of the town to settle claims against the town, after receiving the advice of the town counsel, payment for such settlements to be taken from the appropriation for the law department.

SECTION 10. Any Board or Officer in charge of a department may, with the approval of the Selectmen, sell any personal property or material not required by said department to an aggregate amount not exceeding \$300 in value in any one fiscal year.

SECTION 11. Except as otherwise provided by law the Selectmen shall have custody of deeds, of bonds of Town officers, of insurance policies and of other similar documents owned by the Town.

SECTION 12. No contract shall be awarded for any work or service, other than professional service, to be performed for the Town by an independent contractor, and no purchase of materials, supplies or equipment shall be made, the estimated cost of which in either case is \$300 or more, unless competitive bids have been invited therefor. Such bids shall be invited by the sending of letters of invitation on the same day to such number of vendors, contractors or other qualified persons deemed by the Town Officer, Board or Committee sufficient to obtain fair competition, and in the case of all such contracts and of purchases estimated to cost \$1,000 or more such bids shall also be invited by public advertisement by at least one insertion in a newspaper of general circulation in the Town, said letters to be mailed and said advertisements to be published at least ten days before the time stated for the opening of bids. Such invitation shall state where plans and specifications for proposed work or purchases may be obtained, or may contain such plans and specifications, and shall state the time and place at which bids shall be opened and shall reserve to the Board, Officer or Committee the right to reject any or all bids. All bids shall be opened in public at the time and place specified therefor. No purchase or work for which a contract is proposed shall be split or divided for the purpose of evading the provisions of this Section. This Section shall not apply in cases of emergency requiring immediate action for the preservation of life or the protection of

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property, nor to the purchase of materials, supplies or equipment for which there is no reasonable substitute by reason of natural or actual monopoly, peculiarity of design or type of article, patent right or copyright, certified by the officer, Board or Committee. All bids submitted, plans and specifications, certificates setting forth the reasons why competitive bids were not invited and contracts shall as soon as practicable be filed with the Town Accountant and shall be kept on file at least three years and shall be open to public inspection at reasonable times.

SECTION 13. Every contract for construction work, whether for alterations, repairs or original construction, the estimated cost of which amounts to \$5,000 or more, shall be accompanied by a suitable bond for the performance of the same, or by the deposit of money or security to the amount of the estimated cost.

SECTION 14. The Town Treasurer shall be the custodian of all moneys, properties and securities of all trust funds, including Cemetery trust funds, heretofore or hereafter given, devised or bequeathed to the Town, and shall with the approval of the Board of Selectmen invest and reinvest the same and expend therefrom moneys as directed by the Board of Selectmen. The Town Treasurer shall have power with the approval of the Board of Selectmen in the name and behalf of the Town to sell, transfer and deliver any and all securities and properties so held for such prices or considerations and on such terms and conditions as he and they shall determine. The foregoing provisions shall be subject to and not in derogation of any and all directions or provisions made by donors in wills or other instruments of gift in respect to any such fund or funds.

CHAPTER 5

The Cemetery

SECTION 1. The sole care, superintendence, management and control of the Cemetery shall be intrusted to a Board of five Trustees to serve for the period of five years; one of said Board shall retire and a new member be elected at each annual meeting of the Town.

SECTION 2. Citizens of Milton who are heads of families and have been residents of the Town not less than five years shall be entitled to lots in the Cemetery, allowing one lot to a family subject to these bylaws and the regulations of the Trustees, upon payment of the charges for putting the lot in order; but by unanimous consent of the Trustees the five years' residence requirement may be waived.

SECTION 3. The Trustees may sell lots, when and at such rates as they may deem advisable; provided that the rate shall not be less than two dollars a square foot, and the purchasers shall in some way be connected with Milton people.

SECTION 4. The proprietor of each lot shall cause to be erected, at his own expense, corner-stones, and a step with his name and the number of the lot inscribed on the same, and shall cause his lot to be kept in proper order; and if the proprietor shall omit for thirty days after notice to erect such land marks and to keep the lot in order, the Trustees shall have authority to have the same done at the expense of said proprietor.

SECTION 5. No lot shall be used for any other purpose than as a place of burial for the dead, and no proprietor shall suffer the remains of any person to be deposited within the bounds of his lot for hire; nor shall any proprietor sell or transfer the whole or any part of his lot without the consent of the Trustees.

SECTION 6. If in the judgment of the Trustees any trees or shrubs in any lot

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shall become detrimental to the adjacent lots or avenues, or dangerous or inconvenient, it shall be the duty of the Trustees to enter upon said lot and to remove said trees and shrubs, or such parts thereof as are thus detrimental, dangerous or inconvenient.

SECTION 7. There shall be no structure or inscription placed in, upon or around any lot which the Trustees shall deem offensive or improper; and it shall be the duty of the Trustees to remove all offensive or improper objects.

SECTION 8. The Trustees shall have authority to purchase any tomb in the Cemetery offered for sale, paying for the same such sums as, in their judgment, may be fair and reasonable. They shall also have authority to give for any tomb a lot to be constructed on the land occupied by the tomb, or to be selected at some other point in the Cemetery grounds, as they may agree with the proprietor of the tomb. Should there be no living proprietors, or legal representatives of deceased proprietors, the Trustees may take possession of such Tomb, carefully remove its contents to a lot prepared for the purpose and erect over the remains a suitable memorial stone.

SECTION 9. The following regulations shall be posted within the Cemetery:—

1. All persons are prohibited from driving on the borders.
2. No horse shall be left upon the grounds without a keeper, unless fastened to posts provided for the purpose.
3. All persons are prohibited from discharging firearms within the grounds of the Cemetery, except in connection with military memorial services.
4. All persons are prohibited from writing upon or otherwise defacing any sign, monument, fence, or other structure.
5. All persons are prohibited from gathering flowers, or breaking any tree, plant or shrub.
6. Dogs are not allowed within the Cemetery grounds.

CHAPTER 6

Police Regulations

SECTION 1. No person shall move or assist in moving any building, over any way which the Town is obliged to keep in repair, without the written permit of the Selectmen being first obtained; nor, having obtained such permit, without complying with the restrictions and provisions thereof.

SECTION 2. No person shall place or cause to be placed, upon any public way or sidewalk, any lumber, iron, wood, coal, trunk, bale, box, crate, cask, barrel, package or other thing, and allow the same to remain for more than one hour, or more than ten minutes after being notified by a police officer; provided that the provisions of this section shall not apply to the placing of ashes, refuse or garbage in proper receptacles for collection under public authority.

SECTION 3. Any person who intends to erect, repair or take down any building on land abutting on any way which this Town is obliged to keep in repair, and desires to make use of any portion of said way for the purpose of placing thereon building materials or rubbish shall give notice thereof to the Selectmen. And thereupon the Selectmen may grant a permit in writing to occupy such portion of said way to be used for such purpose as in their judgment the necessity of the case demands and the security of the public allows; such permit in no case to be in force longer than ninety days, and to be on such conditions as the Selectmen may require; and

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especially in every case, upon condition that during the whole of every night, from twilight in the evening until sunrise in the morning, lighted lanterns shall be so placed as effectually to secure all travellers from liability to come in contact with such building materials or rubbish.

SECTION 4. No person shall throw or place or cause to be thrown or placed, any ice or snow into or upon any public way in such a manner as to obstruct traffic or endanger travel upon the public way.

SECTION 5. Whoever, without the written permission of the Selectmen, shall place or cause to be placed in or upon any public way, or sidewalk, any ashes, dirt, rubbish or filth of any kind, or any animal or vegetable substance, shall forfeit and pay a sum not less than one dollar nor more than ten dollars for each offence.

SECTION 6. No person shall stand on any sidewalk or in any public place in such a manner as to obstruct a free passage for foot passengers, after having been requested by a police officer to move on. Any person who shall violate the provisions of this section shall forfeit and pay a sum not less than one dollar nor more than ten dollars for each offence.

SECTION 7. No person shall dig up or obstruct any portion of any way which the Town is obliged to keep in repair without the permit, in writing, of the Selectmen, nor, having obtained such permit, shall fail to comply with the conditions thereof; and in addition to any penalty to which he may be subjected under these bylaws for such failure, he shall reimburse the Town for all expenses and damages which, or for which, the Town may be compelled to pay by reason of such unauthorized use, or any failure to comply with said conditions.

SECTION 8. No person shall ride or drive any beast of burden, carriage or draught, or shall drive or propel or cause to be driven or propelled any bicycle, tricycle, motor vehicle or any vehicle whatsoever, in or over any crossing in any public way at such a rate of speed as to endanger the lives and safety of the public.

SECTION 9. No person shall permit any vehicle under his care or control to stand across any public way in such a manner as to obstruct the travel over the same for an unnecessary length of time; no person shall stop with any vehicle in any public way so near to another vehicle as to obstruct public travel; and no person shall stop with any vehicle upon or across any crossing in any public way.

SECTION 10. No person shall coast upon ice or snow upon any public way except one on which the Selectmen or chief of police by public notice permit such coasting and no person shall ride any animal or drive, wheel or draw any coach, cart, wheelbarrow, hand cart, velocipede, bicycle, or any vehicle except children's carriages, or coast upon any sidewalk in the Town. Whoever violates the provisions of this section shall forfeit and pay a sum not less than one dollar nor more than ten dollars for each offence.

SECTION 11. Whoever shall behave in an indecent or disorderly manner, or use profane, indecent, or insulting language in or upon any sidewalk, public way, or other public place, to the annoyance or disturbance of any other person there being or passing in a peaceable manner, shall forfeit and pay a sum not less than one dollar nor more than twenty dollars for each offence.

SECTION 12. Any person or persons who shall play or perform on any musical instruments, or sing, parade, march, or congregate in any public way or public place, except in connection with a funeral, without the written permit of the Selectmen shall forfeit and pay a sum of not less than one dollar nor more than twenty dollars for each offence.

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SECTION 13. Whoever shall be or remain on any doorstep, portico, or other projection from any house or building, or upon any wall or fence on or near any public way or public place, after being requested by the occupant of the premises or by any police officer to remove therefrom, shall forfeit and pay a sum not less than one dollar nor more than ten dollars for each offence.

SECTION 14. No person shall throw stones, snowballs, sticks, or other missiles, or kick a football or play at any game in which a ball is used, or fly any kites or balloons in any public way.

SECTION 15. Whoever shall affix, by paste or otherwise, any handbill, placard, notice, or advertisement, or paint, draw or stamp the same, or any marks or figures, to or upon any sign board of the Town, or to or upon any building, fence, wall, tree or structure, without the permission of the owner of such building, fence, wall, tree or structure, shall forfeit and pay a sum not less than one dollar nor more than ten dollars for each offence; and if such handbill, placard, notice, advertisement, mark, or figure be obscene or indecent, the penalty shall not be less than twenty dollars for each offence.

SECTION 16. Whoever shall undertake to enter a particular drain into a common sewer without a permit in writing from the Sewer Commissioners or without complying with the conditions and directions of such permit, shall forfeit and pay a sum not exceeding ten dollars.

SECTION 17. Whoever shall lead or cause to be led into any public way, or running stream, any drain or pipe from any house or other buildings whereby filthy water or other unclean matter may be emptied into or upon any such public way or running stream; and whoever shall throw, lead or discharge or cause to be thrown, led or discharged, into any public way, or running stream, any noxious or poisonous matter or substance, or any matter or substance which shall cause an offensive smell or odor, or which shall be destructive of, or injurious to animal life shall forfeit and pay a sum not less than five dollars nor more than twenty dollars.

SECTION 18. The Selectmen may license hackney carriages or motor vehicles for the conveyance of persons for hire from place to place within the town, and they may revoke such licenses at their discretion, and a record of all licenses so granted or revoked shall be kept by the Selectmen.

No person shall set up, use or drive in the town any unlicensed hackney carriage or motor vehicle for the conveyance of passengers for hire from place to place within the town under a penalty not exceeding twenty dollars for each offence.

Licenses shall expire on the thirtieth day of April next after the date thereof, and shall not be transferred without the consent of the Selectmen indorsed thereon. For each license the sum of one dollar shall be paid to the town treasurer for the use of the town. A license so granted shall become void if the applicant neglects or refuses to take out and pay for his license within ten days after notice that it has been granted.

The Selectmen may grant to the holder of a license under the preceding paragraphs of this section a license to use a certain portion of a public way as a carriage stand for the solicitation of passengers for hire and no person shall use any portion of any public way for such purpose without such license.

Any person who violates any of the provisions of this section shall be punished by a fine of not more than twenty dollars for each offence.

SECTION 19. No person shall distribute papers, circulars or advertisements through the Town or any portion thereof in such manner as to make a litter or otherwise cause public annoyance.

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SECTION 20. No person shall fire, discharge, explode or set off any gun, firearm, torpedo, firecracker or fireworks in such manner as to disturb the peace or quiet of any neighborhood.

SECTION 21. No person shall wilfully deface or injure any public playground, planting space, flower bed, tree, shrub or grass border.

SECTION 22. No person shall own or keep a dog which by barking, biting or howling or in any other manner disturbs the peace and quiet of any neighborhood or endangers the safety of any person.

SECTION 23. No person shall burn anything so as to emit noxious odors to the discomfort of the neighborhood.

SECTION 24. No person shall place or suffer to accumulate on his premises any refuse, animal or vegetable matter, rubbish or filth, whereby any offensive or noxious stench or effluvia shall be created so as to endanger the health or comfort of the neighborhood.

SECTION 25. The Selectmen may license suitable persons to be dealers in and keepers of shops for the purchase, sale, or barter of junk, old metals, or second-hand articles from place to place in the Town. They may also license suitable persons as junk collectors, to collect, by purchase or otherwise, junk, old metals, and second-hand articles from place to place in the Town; and they may provide that such collectors shall display badges upon their persons, or upon their vehicles, or upon both, when engaged in collecting, transporting, or dealing in junk, old metals, or second-hand articles; and may prescribe the design thereof. They may also provide that such shops and all articles of merchandise therein, and any place, vehicle or receptacle used for the collection or keeping of the articles aforesaid, may be examined at all times by the Selectmen or by any person by them authorized thereto. The aforesaid licenses may be revoked at pleasure, and shall be subject to the provisions of law. Whoever violates any provision of this section shall forfeit and pay for each offence a fine not exceeding twenty dollars.

SECTION 26. The Selectmen may order numbers to be affixed to or painted on the buildings on any street in their discretion. The owner of every house shall comply with such order within thirty days thereafter. Whoever violates any provision of this section shall forfeit and pay for each offence a fine not exceeding twenty dollars.

SECTION 27. Except when otherwise provided by law, prosecutions for offences under the bylaws of the Town may be made by any police officer of the Town.

CHAPTER 6A

School Traffic Control

SECTION 1. There shall be a School Traffic Control Unit in the Police Department consisting of not less than five nor more than twelve female Special Police Officers appointed by the Board of Selectmen to serve at the pleasure of the Board. The duties of such special police officers shall be supervised by and be under the direction of the Chief of Police.

SECTION 2. Special Police Officers appointed under this Chapter shall be designated as School Traffic Supervisors and shall have all the power and authority of regular police officers in the enforcement of Chapter 90 of the General Laws and Acts and amendments thereof and in addition thereto, and of all other laws and of the Bylaws of the Town relating to the operation, standing or use of vehicles.

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CHAPTER 7

Building Code

Chapters 7 and 8 were amended in 1934 by being renumbered as Chapter 7.

The title of said Chapter was amended by striking out the words "Building and Plumbing Laws", and inserting in place thereof the words:—BUILDING CODE—.

Amendments to Chapter 7 have been made at the Annual Town Meetings held March 9, 1935, March 14, 1936, March 12, 1938, March 13, 1948, March 12, 1949 and March 19, 1955.

The Building Code thus amended was approved by the Attorney General May 20, 1955, and is now available in pamphlet form in the Building Inspector's office.

CHAPTER 8

Town Ways

SECTION 1. Every way that shall be laid out for the acceptance of the Town as a town way shall be not less than fifty feet in width, provided, however, that upon written certification by the Planning Board, with respect to the layout of a particular way, that the requirement of a width of fifty feet will cause practical difficulty or unnecessary hardship, such way may be laid out less than fifty feet in width.

SECTION 2. If an existing private way the fee of which is in the abutters shall be laid out for the acceptance of the Town as a town way such way shall not be accepted unless and until the Selectmen shall have certified in writing that such way is well built, and as constructed it is equal to the average construction of existing highways of the Town; provided, however, that this section shall not apply to ways laid out subject to the provisions of law relating to the assessment of betterments and shall not apply to ways shown on plats approved by the Planning Board and constructed in accordance with rules and regulations of the Planning Board.

CHAPTER 9

Billboards

SECTION 1. No person or corporation shall erect or maintain a billboard sign or other outdoor advertising device, except as provided in Section 32 of Chapter 93 of General Laws, on any location within three hundred feet of any public park or playground or Metropolitan Park or Parkway, if within public view from any portion of such parks, playgrounds, or parkways; or within three hundred feet of any other public way and within public view from any portion of the same, if such billboard, sign or device exceeds five feet in height or eight feet in length, and no billboard, sign or device placed within three hundred feet of any such public way and within public view shall be nearer than fifty feet to any other such billboard, sign or device; or at the corner of any public ways and within the radius of one hundred and fifty feet from the point where the center lines of such ways intersect; or in any place unless the lowest portion of such billboard, sign or device is at least three feet from the ground, and the entire structure, including its braces and supports, is maintained in good repair, painted, and free from accumulation of rubbish and filth and from the pupae, eggs and caterpillars of gypsy and brown-tail moths and other tree and shrub destroying pests; provided that this section shall not apply to signs or other devices which advertise or indicate either the person occupying the premises in question or the business transacted thereon, or advertise the property itself or any part thereof if for sale or to let.

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CHAPTER 10

Zoning

SECTION I. Definitions.

A. In this by-law the following terms, unless a contrary meaning is required by the context or is specifically prescribed, shall have the following meanings:

1. *Street*. The word "street" shall include public ways established by or maintained under public authority private ways open for public use, and private ways plotted or laid out for ultimate public use, whether or not constructed.
2. *Lot*. A "lot" is a single area of land in one ownership defined by metes, bounds or boundary lines in a recorded deed or on a recorded plan. After this By-law is adopted new lots may be established by recording the same or by filing with the Building Inspector as a part of an application for a building permit the plan of the lot appurtenant to the building signed by the owner or owners of the lot and defining the lot by metes and bounds on such plan. In determining lot areas no part thereof within the limitation of the street shall be included.
3. *One Ownership*. The term "one ownership" means an undivided ownership by one person or by several persons whether the tenure be joint, in common, or by the entirety.
4. *Recorded*. The term "recorded" or "of record" means recorded or registered in the Norfolk County Registry of Deeds or a record title to a parcel of land disclosed by any or all pertinent public records.
5. *Building*. The word "building" shall include "structure."
6. *Erected*. The word "erected" shall include the words "built," "constructed," "reconstructed," "altered," "enlarged," and "moved."
7. All references to the time of the adoption of this by-law shall mean February 10, 1938.

SECTION II. Establishment of Districts.

A. *Classes of Districts*. The town of Milton is hereby divided, as shown on the Zoning Map entitled "Map of Milton, Massachusetts, showing Zoning Districts," dated January 7, 1938 and filed with the Town Clerk, and hereby declared a part of this by-law, into four classes of districts:

1. Residence A districts;
2. Residence B districts;
3. Residence C districts;
4. Business districts.

B. *Boundaries of Districts*. The boundaries of Business Districts hereunder shall continue to be as existing immediately prior to the adoption of this by-law. The boundaries of Residence A Districts, Residence B Districts and Residence C Districts shall be as shown on the Zoning Map. Unless otherwise specifically indicated on the Zoning Map the boundaries between districts are either the center lines of streets or boundary lines of lots, or lines parallel to and a dimensioned distance from the nearest side lines of streets.

(Zoning map changed by votes passed under Article 57 at the March 9, 1940 Town Meeting and at the March 8, 1947 Town Meeting under Article 57.)

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C. Lots in Two Districts. Where a district boundary line divides a lot recorded prior to the time this by-law is adopted, the regulations and restrictions of the less restricted portion of such lot shall govern such portion of such lot as shall be within the more restricted district and shall lie within thirty feet of said boundary line, provided the lot has a frontage on a street in the less restricted district.

SECTION III. Use Regulations.

A. Residence A, B, and C District Uses. In a Residence A, B, or C District, except as herein otherwise provided, no building or land shall be used and no building shall be erected or altered which is intended or designed to be used for a store or shop, or for manufacturing or commercial purposes, or for other purposes except one or more of the following:

1. Detached one-family dwelling;
2. Church;
3. Educational use, not conducted for profit;
4. Agricultural use, selling only produce raised on the premises; provided, however, that this paragraph 4 shall not be deemed or construed to permit or authorize the use or maintenance of any building or structure;
5. Municipal use;
6. Accessory use on the same lot with and customarily incident to any of the above permitted uses, or to the uses permitted in accordance with the following sub-section numbered 7, and not detrimental to a residential neighborhood;
7. Any of the following uses, if authorized by permit issued by the Board of Appeals and subject to appropriate conditions, limitations, and safeguards stated in writing by the Board of Appeals and made a part of the permit;
 - (a) Private clubs not conducted for profit;
 - (b) Cemetery, not conducted for profit;
 - (c) The garaging or maintaining of more than three automobiles when accessory to a dwelling;
 - (d) Greenhouse or nursery selling only produce raised on the premises;
 - (e) Charitable or philanthropic use, hospital or sanitarium, not conducted for profit;
 - ^{planting, etc. - suitable}
the space between ~~the~~
(g) Public utility or public communications building not including a service station or outside storage of supplies;
 - (h) A two-family house (as defined below) if the lot on which it will stand lies between two lots on which are buildings designed for occupancy by two or more families each, located on the same side of the street and less than 100 feet apart. A two-family house is a residential building fitted to be occupied by two families which are independent of each other as regards the preparation of food;
 - (i) A dwelling used primarily and principally for residential purposes may be used incidentally but without public display of goods or wares, or signs except as permitted in subsection *B 1 (g)* hereof, for the sale of food or of goods of home manufacture prepared or made therein by the occupants of such dwelling, for the operation of a telephone answering service, or for other incidental purposes

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which are not primarily industrial, trade, manufacturing, or commercial purposes, provided, in each case, the Board of Appeals shall determine that the use of such building is incidental only and that such use will not be substantially detrimental to the use of other property in the neighborhood;

- (j) Removal of sod, loam, sand, gravel or quarried stone, provided that when such removal is incidental to and in connection with the construction of a building on the premises for which a building permit has been issued in accordance with the building law, or incidental to and in connection with the construction of ways in an approved subdivision, no permit from the Board of Appeals shall be required.
- (k) Buildings or structures used or maintained on or in connection with land devoted to agricultural use permitted in paragraph 4 of this Section III A.

B. Accessory Use in Residence A, B, and C Districts.

- 1. In Residence A, B, and C Districts the following are hereby specifically declared not to be "accessory uses" within the meaning of this by-law:
 - (a) The garaging or maintaining on any lot of a total of more than three automobiles at any time, unless a special permit is granted by the Board of Appeals pursuant to the provisions of Section VIII hereof;
 - (b) The garaging or maintaining on any lot of more than one commercial automobile, except in the case of a lot used for agriculture or for a municipal use;
 - (c) The garaging or maintaining on any lot used for agriculture of more than four commercial automobiles;
 - (d) The sale of produce not raised on the premises unless, in the case of a commercial greenhouse established and doing business prior to the adoption of this by-law, a special permit is granted by the Board of Appeals pursuant to the provisions of Section VIII hereof;
 - (e) The accommodation of, or renting space to, more than four lodgers, boarders or paying guests;
 - (f) Accessory use shall not include dwellings, except that there may be constructed as part of a garage or stable, family living quarters for and to be occupied only by an employee of the owner or occupant of the dwelling to which such garage or stable is an accessory use, provided, however, that such use is customarily incident to the use of said dwelling;
 - (g) An accessory use shall not include an advertising sign except a real estate sign advertising for sale or rent the property on which it is placed, but may include a sign not over one square foot in area, bearing a name and the designation of any authorized occupation and being such a sign as is customarily used for a purpose permitted by this section of this by-law.

C. Business District Uses. In a Business District no building shall be erected, altered or used and no land shall be used for any purpose injurious, noxious or offensive to a neighborhood by reason of the emission of odor, fumes, dust, smoke, vibration, or noise, or other cause, or for any purpose whatsoever except the following purposes:

- 1. Any use permitted in a Residence A, B or C District;

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2. Offices, banks, assembly halls or places of amusement;
3. Signs permitted in a Residence A, B or C District and signs advertising goods or services offered by an occupant of the premises for sale, hire, or use;
4. Retail or wholesale stores, shops for custom work where the product is sold directly by the producer to the consumer, places where services are performed, places of the building trades, sales rooms and repair shops for motor vehicles, garages, filling stations, storage warehouses, restaurants and other places for serving food and drink, places of business of bakers, dyers, confectioners, launderers, photographers, printers and undertakers. Other uses of substantially the same character may be permitted only if authorized by permit issued by the Board of Appeals subject to appropriate conditions, limitations and safeguards stated in writing by the Board of Appeals and made a part of the permit all in accordance with the provisions of Section VIII, C.

SECTION IV. Non-conforming Uses of Buildings and Land.

A. Continuation of Non-conforming Uses of Buildings and Land. Any building or use of a building or use of land or part thereof lawful and existing at the time this by-law is adopted may be continued, unless and until abandoned, although such building or use does not conform to the provisions hereof. No increase in the extent of the non-conforming use of the building or land may be made except that any such non-conforming building may be added to, enlarged, reconstructed or replaced, and such addition, enlargement, reconstruction or replacement used for the purpose, or for a purpose substantially similar to the purpose, for which the original building may lawfully be used if authorized by the Board of Appeals and subject to appropriate conditions, limitations, and safeguards stated in writing by the Board of Appeals and made a part of the permit. As a basis for such permit the Board of Appeals must be satisfied that such addition, enlargement, reconstruction or replacement and the use to be made thereof will not substantially increase any detrimental or injurious effect of the building or use on the neighborhood.

SECTION V. Height Regulations.

A. Building Heights in Residence A, B and C Districts. In a Residence A, B or C District no building shall be erected or altered to exceed two and one-half stories in height unless it is set back from each street and lot line 15 feet farther than is required by Section VI. No building shall in any event exceed three stories. The space between "floors" shall mean a story in a sloping roof, the area of a wall story at a height four feet above the floor does not exceed two-thirds the floor area of the story immediately below it.

B. Building Height in Business District. In a Business district no building shall be erected or altered to exceed three stories in height unless authorized by permit issued by the Board of Appeals subject to appropriate conditions, limitations and safeguards stated in writing by the Board of Appeals and made a part of the permit, all in accordance with the provisions of Section VIII, C, provided that no such building shall be permitted the maximum height of which exceeds 65 feet above the centre line of the street or way adjacent to the lot on which such building stands.

C. Height Exceptions. Chimneys, elevators, poles, spires, tanks, towers, and other projections not used for human occupancy may extend above the height limits herein fixed.

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SECTION VI. Area Regulations.

A. Lot Sizes and Frontages.

1. In a Residence A District no dwelling shall be erected or maintained except on lots as hereinbefore defined, or on lots established after this by-law is adopted, as hereinbefore provided, containing not less than 40,000 square feet each and having each a frontage of not less than 150 feet, and not more than one dwelling shall be erected on each such lot except that (a) a lot recorded at the time of the adoption of this by-law or, if not so recorded, if authorized by permit from the Board of Appeals, containing less than 80,000 and more than 64,000 square feet may be divided into lots containing not less than 32,000 square feet each and each having a frontage of not less than 150 feet, and one dwelling may be erected on each such lot, and (b) if a lot recorded at the time of the adoption of this by-law or, if not so recorded, if authorized by permit from the Board of Appeals, contains more than 80,000 square feet and if after division into as many lots as practicable, each containing not less than 40,000 square feet and each having a frontage of not less than 150 feet, there remains a lot of 32,000 square feet or more, one dwelling may be erected on such remaining lot provided that the same has a frontage of not less than 150 feet, and (c) one dwelling may be erected on a lot containing less than 40,000 square feet, or having a frontage of less than 150 feet, if such lot was recorded at the time of the adoption of this by-law, and did not at the time of such adoption adjoin other land of the same owner available for use in connection with said lot. No such adjoining land or any part thereof shall be deemed "available for use" (as that phrase is used in this subsection (c)) if such land is a parcel which was so recorded, on which at the time of such adoption a dwelling existed, and which then contained no more than 40,000 square feet and had a frontage of no more than 150 feet.
2. In a Residence B District no dwelling shall be erected or maintained except on lots as hereinbefore defined, or on lots established after this by-law is adopted, as hereinbefore provided, containing not less than 20,000 square feet each and having each a frontage of not less than 100 feet and not more than one dwelling shall be erected on each such lot except that (a) a lot recorded at the time of the adoption of this by-law or, if not so recorded, if authorized by permit from the Board of Appeals, containing less than 40,000 and more than 32,000 square feet may be divided into lots containing not less than 16,000 square feet each and each having a frontage of not less than 100 feet, and one dwelling may be erected on each such lot, and (b) if a lot recorded at the time of the adoption of this by-law or, if not so recorded, if authorized by permit from the Board of Appeals, contains more than 40,000 square feet and if after division into as many lots as practicable, each containing not less than 20,000 square feet and each having a frontage of not less than 100 feet, there remains a lot of 16,000 square feet or more, one dwelling may be erected on such remaining lot provided that the same has a frontage of not less than 80 feet, and (c) one dwelling may be erected on a lot containing less than 20,000 square feet, or having a frontage of less than 100 feet, if such lot was recorded at the time of the adoption of this by-law, and did not at the time of such adoption adjoin other land of the same owner available for use in connection with said lot. No such adjoining land or any part thereof shall be deemed "available for use" (as that phrase is used in this subsection (c)) if such land

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is a parcel which was so recorded, on which at the time of such adoption a dwelling existed, and which then contained no more than 20,000 square feet and had a frontage of no more than 100 feet.

3. In a Residence C District no dwelling shall be erected or maintained except on lots as hereinbefore defined, or on lots established after this by-law is adopted, as hereinbefore provided, containing not less than 7,500 square feet each and having each a frontage of not less than 75 feet, and not more than one dwelling shall be erected on each such lot except that (a) a lot recorded at the time of the adoption of this by-law or if not so recorded, if authorized by permit from the Board of Appeals, containing less than 15,000 and more than 12,000 square feet may be divided into lots containing not less than 6,000 square feet each and each having a frontage of not less than 60 feet, and one dwelling may be erected on each such lot, and (b) if a lot recorded at the time of the adoption of this by-law or, if not so recorded, if authorized by permit from the Board of Appeals, contains more than 15,000 square feet and if after division into as many lots as practicable, each containing not less than 7,500 square feet and each having a frontage of not less than 75 feet, there remains a lot of 6,000 square feet or more, one dwelling may be erected on such remaining lot provided that the same has a frontage of not less than 60 feet, and (c) one dwelling may be erected on a lot containing less than 7,500 square feet, or having a frontage of less than 75 feet, if such lot was recorded at the time of the adoption of this by-law, and did not at the time of such adoption adjoin other land of the same owner available for use in connection with said lot. No such adjoining land or any part thereof shall be deemed "available for use" (as that phrase is used in this subsection (c)) if such land is a parcel which was so recorded, on which at the time of such adoption a dwelling existed, and which then contained no more than 7,500 square feet and had a frontage of no more than 75 feet.
4. Frontage, as required in the foregoing provisions of this section, shall be determined as follows: In the case of a lot fronting on a street, the distance shall be measured along the street line from one side line of the lot to the other and the distance shall also be measured between said side lines along a line which marks the required front setback of the dwelling on such lot, and the longer of said distances shall determine the frontage of such lot. In the case of a lot not fronting on any street, the distance shall be measured from one side line of the lot to the other planted, or allowed to be planted as the front line of the lot on the plot filed with this by-law with the Building Inspector as a part of an application for a building permit, and such distance shall determine the frontage of such lot.
5. Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this section, if adjacent lots, any of which has less area or frontage than required by this section, are recorded as all in the same ownership at the time this by-law is adopted, and if (a) substantial expenditures have been incurred, prior to that time, toward the improvement of these lots or approved ways giving access thereto, or toward utilities serving such lots, which improvements or utilities would be diminished in value in a substantial amount by a literal enforcement of the terms of this section, or if (b) adjoining areas have been, prior to that time, developed to a substantial extent by the construction of houses on lots generally smaller than is prescribed by this section and the standard of the neighborhood so

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established does not reasonably require a subdivision of the applicant's land into lots as large as is hereby prescribed, then the owner of these lots may apply to the Board of Appeals for relief from the terms of this section as applying to any of these lots, and the Board of Appeals may grant such relief by making special exceptions to the terms of this section, subject to appropriate conditions and safeguards in harmony with the general purpose and intent of this by-law, where desirable relief may be granted without substantial detriment to the public good and without substantially derogating from the intent or purposes of this by-law.

B. Front Yards.

1. In a Residence A District no building shall be erected within 30 feet of the line of the street on which it fronts, provided that no building need be set back more than 30 per cent of the mean depth of the lot nor more than the average of the setbacks of the buildings on the lots immediately next thereto on either side, a vacant lot or a lot occupied by a building set back more than 30 feet being counted as though occupied by a building set back 30 feet.
2. In a Residence B District no building shall be erected within 25 feet of the line of the street on which it fronts, provided that no building need be set back more than 25 per cent of the mean depth of the lot nor more than the average of the setbacks of the buildings on the lots immediately next thereto on either side, a vacant lot or a lot occupied by a building set back more than 25 feet being counted as though occupied by a building set back 25 feet.
3. In a Residence C District no building shall be erected within 20 feet of the line of the street on which it fronts, provided that no building need be set back more than 20 per cent of the mean depth of the lot nor more than the average of the setbacks of the buildings on the lots immediately next thereto on either side, a vacant lot or a lot occupied by a building set back more than 20 feet being counted as though occupied by a building set back 20 feet.
4. In Residence A, B and C Districts no part of an accessory building shall be located within 40 feet of the front line of the lot, unless such accessory building is within the body of a dwelling or attached to a dwelling and such accessory building complies with the setback from said front line established for such dwelling.

C. Side Yards.

1. No building except a one-story building of accessory use or maintained in a Residence A District within 15 feet of the front line of the lot, or within 30 feet of any other building on an adjacent lot, in a Residence B District within 12 feet of a side lot line or within 24 feet of any other building on an adjacent lot, or in a Residence C District within 10 feet of a side lot line.
2. No building of accessory use shall be erected or maintained within 10 feet of a side lot line in a Residence A District or a Residence B District nor within 8 feet of a side line in a Residence C District.
3. On a lot abutting on two intersecting streets no building shall be erected or maintained in a Residence A District within 30 feet, in a Residence B District within 25 feet, and in a Residence C District within 20 feet of the line of the side street.
4. The provisions of this section shall not reduce to less than 26 feet the

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buildable width of any lot in a Residence A, B or C District recorded at the time this by-law is adopted, provided, however, that no building shall extend within 6 feet of any side lot line, and provided further that where a building is erected less than 10 feet from either side line by virtue of the provisions of this paragraph 4 the buildable width shall not exceed 26 feet.

5. In a Business District no building shall be erected or maintained within 6 feet of a side line of any lot unless the wall adjoining such side be either a party wall or a wall with its outer face coincident with the lot side line.

D. Rear Yards.

1. In a Residence A, B or C District no building except a one-story building of accessory use shall be erected or maintained within 30 feet of the rear lot line, provided that no building need be set back from the rear lot line more than 30 per cent of the mean depth of the lot.
2. In a Business District no dwelling shall be erected or maintained within 20 feet of the rear lot line, and no other building shall be erected or maintained within 12 feet of a rear lot line of any lot unless the wall adjoining such rear lot line be either a party wall or a wall with its outer face coincident with the rear lot line.
3. No building of accessory use shall be erected or maintained within 10 feet of a rear lot line in a Residence A District nor within 8 feet of a rear lot line in a Residence B or a Residence C District.

E. Appurtenant Open Space.

No yard or other open space required for a building by this by-law shall, during the existence of such building, be occupied by or counted as open space for another building.

F. Projections.

Nothing herein shall prevent the projection of steps, eaves, chimneys and cornices not exceeding 18 inches in width, windowsills, or belt courses into any required yard or open space.

G. Corner Clearance.

On lots in Residence A, B and C Districts no building, fence, or other structure shall be erected and no tree, shrub or other planting shall be planted, or allowed to exist, which prevents an unobstructed view through the space between 4 feet and 8 feet above the ground within the area formed by the intersecting side lines forming the corner of the intersecting streets and a line joining points on such lines 25 feet distant from the point of intersection in a Residence A District, or 20 feet distant from the point of intersection in a Residence B or a Residence C District, provided, however, that where the junction of the side lines of two streets forms a curve, the clearance area shall be determined and certified by the Town Engineer as nearly as may be in accordance with the foregoing and having regard to the safety of the public, and the foregoing provisions shall apply to the area thus determined.

SECTION VII. Administration.

A. Enforcement.

1. The Inspector of Buildings shall enforce the provisions of this by-law. If the Inspector of Buildings shall be informed or have reason to believe

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that any provision of this by-law or of any permit or decision thereunder has been, is being, or is about to be violated, he shall make or cause to be made an investigation of the facts, including the inspection of the premises where the violation may exist, and, if he finds any violation, he shall give immediate notice in writing to the owner or his duly authorized agent and to the occupant of the premises.

2. If, after such notice, such violation continues, with respect to any use contrary to the provisions of this by-law, the Inspector of Buildings shall forthwith revoke any permit issued in connection with the premises, and shall take such other action as is necessary to enforce the provisions of this by-law.
3. Where a special permit from or relief by the Board of Appeals is required pursuant to the provisions of this by-law, or where an appeal from an order or decision of an administrative officer, or an appeal or petition involving a variance is pending, the Building Inspector shall issue no building permit until so directed in writing by said Board.

B. Submission of Plots.

All applications for building permits shall be accompanied by a plot in duplicate drawn to scale, showing the actual dimensions of the lot to be built upon, the streets upon which it abuts, the size and location of the building or buildings to be erected or altered, and such other information as may, in the opinion of the Building Inspector, be necessary for the enforcement of this by-law. A careful record of such applications and plots shall be kept in the office of the Building Inspector. Deviation from the terms and dimensions shown on the plot shall constitute violation of the terms of the permit.

C. Occupancy Permit.

It shall be unlawful to use or permit the use of any land, building, or structure or part thereof which is erected or altered, wholly or partly, in its use or construction, or moved, or which has its open spaces in any way reduced, until the Building Inspector shall have certified on the building permit, or, in case no permit is required, shall have certified in a certificate of occupancy that the building and premises have been regularly inspected by the Building Inspector and apparently conform to the statutes and by-laws relating to the construction and occupancy of buildings and land in the town of Milton.

SECTION VIII. Board of Appeals.

A. Appointment.

The Board of Appeals is and shall be the board of appeal appointed from time to time pursuant to Chapter 7 of these by-laws known as the Building Code, and said board of appeal under said Building Code is hereby constituted the Board of Appeals pursuant to the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), Chapter 40A, as amended.

B. Notice.

When an appeal, application or petition is filed with the Board of Appeals pursuant to any of the provisions of this by-law, the Board shall give notice thereof and hold a hearing pursuant to its rules and regulations and to the law. The Building Inspector shall be entitled to receive notice in all cases involving the issuance of a building permit.

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C. Special Permits.

Where a special permit by the Board of Appeals is required pursuant to the provisions of this by-law, the applicant shall make written application and shall show to the satisfaction of the Board, in addition to any specific requirements herein or in the law contained, that the desired relief may be granted without substantial detriment to the public good and without substantially derogating from the intent or purpose of this by-law. The Board of Appeals may make appropriate conditions and limitations necessary in its opinion to safeguard the legitimate use of the property in the neighborhood and the health and safety of the public, such conditions and limitations to be stated in writing by the Board and made a part of the permit.

D. Variances and Appeals.

Appeals from an order or decision of an administrative officer and appeals or petitions involving variances from the terms of this by-law shall be dealt with by the Board of Appeals in accordance with the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), Chapter 40A, as amended.

E. Relief.

When relief is applied for pursuant to the provisions of Section VI, A, 5 hereof the applicant shall file with the Board a plan, map, drawing, or document sufficient clearly to show all of the local real estate holdings of the applicant in the neighborhood, the date or dates of the recording of the lots involved, and such other pertinent documentary evidence as the Board may require, and shall show to the satisfaction of the Board that the facts requisite for such relief exist.

SECTION IX. Other By-Laws, Rules or Regulations.

The provisions of this by-law shall be construed as being additional to and not as annulling, limiting or lessening to any extent, whatsoever the requirements of any other by-law, rule or regulation, provided that, unless specifically excepted, where this by-law is more stringent it shall control.

SECTION X. Penalty.

Any person, firm, or corporation who violates, disobeys, neglects, or refuses to comply with any of the provisions of this by-law shall be fined in a sum not to exceed twenty dollars (\$20.00) for each offence.

SECTION XI. Validity.

The invalidity of any section or provision of this by-law shall not invalidate any other section or provision hereof. If for any reason the area requirements in any district shall be or become invalid or inoperative, then the area requirements of the next less restricted district shall be and become the area requirements for such more restricted district.

SECTION XII. Amendments.

The Planning Board, upon petition of not less than ten citizens of the Town, or upon its own initiative, shall from time to time hold public hearings, twenty days' published notice of which shall be given, for the consideration of proposed amendments to the Zoning Map or to this by-law and report to a regular or special Town Meeting its recommendations as to what action should be taken.

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CHAPTER 11

Planning Board and Board of Appeals

SECTION 1. A Planning Board is hereby established under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), Chapter 41, Section 81A (Acts of 1936, Chapter 211) and any amendments thereto, with all the powers and duties therein and in any existing by-laws of the Town provided, to consist of five members to be elected by ballot at the annual Town Meeting in March, 1939, one for a term of one year, one for a term of two years, one for a term of three years, one for a term of four years, and one for a term of five years and thereafter in accordance with the provisions of the statute.

SECTION 2. The existing Board of Appeals appointed from time to time pursuant to Chapter 7 of the General By-Laws (known as the Building Code) shall act as and be the Board of Appeals under Chapter 10 of the General By-Laws (known as the Zoning By-Law), act as and be the Board of Appeals under General Laws (Ter. Ed.), Chapter 40A and amendments thereto (known as the Zoning Enabling Act), and act as and be the Board of Appeals under General Laws (Ter. Ed.), Chapter 41, Section 81Z and amendments thereto (known as the Subdivision Control Law).

CHAPTER 12

Board of Water Commissioners

The Board of Water Commissioners may from time to time, on such conditions as may be determined by the Board, receive from prospective developers of lands in the Town, respectively, sums of money sufficient, in the opinion of the Board to cover the estimated expense to the Town, as certified by the Planning Board or such part thereof as is to be incurred by the Town, of constructing water mains with all appurtenances necessary or proper in private ways approved by the Planning Board under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), Chapter 41, as amended by St. 1936, C. 211, or as otherwise amended such sums to be paid to the Town Treasurer to the Credit of the Town, each such sum to be held as a special fund marked with the name of the depositor and the way or ways to which the same is applicable, and subject to retention and appropriation by the Town for the purpose of reimbursing the Town for moneys expended in constructing water mains and appurtenances in the respective ways designated for the respective funds and for the return to the depositor of any unexpended balance as certified by the Board of Water Commissioners after completion of such water mains and appurtenances. If such deposit of estimated expense in any case is not sufficient for the work, the developer shall make deposit of a sufficient additional amount.

This by-law shall be additional to and not in limitation of the powers otherwise vested in said Board of Water Commissioners.

Milton, Mass., April 6, 1934.

I HEREBY CERTIFY, That the foregoing is a true copy of the General By-laws as amended under Article 53 of the Warrant for the annual Town Meeting held March 10, 1934.

A true copy.

Attest.

(Seal)

The foregoing by-laws are hereby approved.

G. FRANK KEMP,
Town Clerk.
Boston, Mass., June 1, 1934

JOSEPH E. WARNER,
Attorney General.

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The amendments to Chapters 4, 7 and 10 voted at the Annual Town Meeting held March 9, 1935, were approved by the Attorney General, June 10, 1935.

The amendment to Chapter 7 voted at the Annual Town Meeting held March 14, 1936, was approved by the Attorney General, April 3, 1936.

The amendment to Chapter 10 voted at the Special Town Meeting held January 29, 1938, was approved by the Attorney General, February 10, 1938.

The amendments to Chapters 7, 10 and 11 voted at the Annual Town Meeting held March 12, 1938, were approved by the Attorney General, April 11, 1938.

The amendments to Chapter 10 voted at the Annual Town Meeting held March 9, 1940, were approved by the Attorney General, April 11, 1940 and May 1, 1940.

The amendments to Chapter 2, 3 and 4, voted at the Annual Town Meeting held March 8, 1941, were approved by the Attorney General, March 20, 1941.

The amendments to Chapters 4 and 10 voted at the Annual Town Meeting held March 13, 1943, were approved by the Attorney General, March 24, 1943, and April 13, 1943, respectively.

The amendments to Chapters 2, 4, 10 and 12 voted at the Annual Town Meeting held March 10, 1945, were approved by the Attorney General, March 21, 1945.

The amendment to Chapter 5, Section 1, voted at the Annual Town Meeting held March 9, 1946, was approved by the Attorney General, March 28, 1946.

The amendment to Chapter 10 voted at the Annual Town Meeting held March 8, 1947, was approved by the Attorney General, April 10, 1947.

The amendments to Chapter 7 voted at the annual Town Meeting held March 13, 1948, were approved by the Attorney General on April 1, 1948.

The amendments to Chapters 3 and 7 voted at the annual Town Meeting held March 12, 1949, were approved by the Attorney General, March 22, 1949.

"See decision of Supreme Judicial Court in the case of *Barney & Carey Company v. Town of Milton*, 324 Mass. 440."

The amendment to Chapter 2 voted at the annual Town Meeting held March 11, 1950, was approved by the Attorney General, April 26, 1950.

The amendment to Chapter 8 voted at the annual Town Meeting held March 10, 1951, was approved by the Attorney General, April 17, 1951.

The amendments to Chapters 3 and 10 voted at the annual Town Meeting held March 8 and 15, 1952, were approved by the Attorney General, July 1, 1952.

The amendments to Chapters 3 and 10 voted at the annual Town Meeting held March 21, 1953, were approved by the Attorney General, June 1, 1953.

The amendment to Chapter 10 voted under Article 55 at the Annual Town Meeting held March 20, 1954, was approved by the Attorney General, April 23, 1954.

The amendment to Chapter 11, voted under Article 58 at the Annual Town Meeting held March 19, 1955, was approved by the Attorney General, May 20, 1955.

The amendment to Chapter 7 voted under Article 59 at the Annual Town Meeting held March 19, 1955, was approved by the Attorney General, May 20, 1955.

The amendment to Chapter 10 voted under Article 60 at the Annual Town Meeting held March 19, 1955, was approved by the Attorney General, May 20, 1955.

The amendment to Chapter 6 voted under Article 3 at the May Special Meeting held May 24, 1955, was approved by the Attorney General June 20, 1955.



LEGISLATIVE ACTS

LEGISLATIVE ACTS ACCEPTED BY THE TOWN OF MILTON

March 19, 1866. **Voted,** To establish a high school, according to the provisions of Section 2 of Chapter 38 of the General Statutes. (Repealed 1898, Chapter 496, Section 36.)

March 2, 1874. **Voted,** To accept the provisions of Chapter 265 of the Acts of 1873, relative to public landing places in the town of Milton. (Special Act.)

March 4, 1878. **Voted,** To accept the provisions of Section 23 to 32 of Chapter 24 of the General Statutes, relative to the establishment of a board of fire engineers. (General Laws, Chapter 48, Section 45.)

March 3, 1879. **Voted,** To accept the provisions of Section 21 of Chapter 38 of the General Statutes, relative to the election of School Committee. (General Laws, Chapter 41, Section 1.)

December 8, 1879. **Voted,** To accept the provisions of Section 1 of Chapter 234 of the Acts of 1878, relative to truants and neglected children. (Repealed, 1919, Chapter 363, Section 16.)

March 7, 1881. **Voted,** To accept the act of the Legislature, Chapter 158 of the Laws of 1871, entitled, "An Act to Provide for the Election of Road Commissioners." (General Laws, Chapter 41, Section 1.)

March 5, 1883. **Voted,** To accept the provisions of Section 10 of Chapter 48 of the General Statutes, relative to truants and neglected children. (Repealed 1898, Chapter 496, Section 36.)

March 3, 1890. **Voted,** To accept the first nine sections of Chapter 51 of the Public Statutes, said Chapter being entitled, "Of Betterments and other Assessments on Account of the Cost of Public Improvements." (General Laws, Chapter 80.)

February 12, 1891. **Voted,** To accept the act authorizing towns and cities to lay out public parks within their limits; being Chapter 154 of the Acts of 1882. (General Laws, Chapter 45, Sections 1 to 11.)

March 2, 1891. **Voted,** To accept the provisions of Chapter 386 of the Acts of 1890, relative to the election of town officers. (Repealed, 1893, Chapter 417, Section 345.)

February 3, 1894. **Voted,** That the town does hereby accept the provisions of Section 268 of Chapter 417 of the Acts of 1893, relative to the election of a separate Board of Assessors. (General Laws, Chapter 41, Section 1.)

November 28, 1894. **Voted,** To accept the provisions of Chapter 324 of the Acts of 1894, entitled an "Act Relative to the Reservation of Spaces in Public Ways." (General Laws, Chapter 82, Section 34.)

March 4, 1895. **Voted,** That the town hereby accepts the provision of Chapter 309 of the Acts of 1885, authorizing towns to license groves to be used for picnics and other lawful amusements. (General Laws, Chapter 140, Sections 188 to 190.)

March 4, 1895. **Voted,** To accept the provisions of Section 272 of Chapter 417 of the Acts of 1893, relative to the election of Sewer Commissioners. (General Laws, Chapter 41, Section 1.)

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March 4, 1895. **Voted,** To accept the provisions of Chapter 462 of the Acts of 1893 relative to the establishment of a building line on Public Ways. (Repealed, Acts of 1917, Chapter 344, Part 8, Section 1.)

March 4, 1895. **Voted,** To accept the provisions of Chapter 218 of the Acts of 1894 as amended by Chapter 473 of that same year, relative to the election of Boards of Health in towns. (General Laws, Chapter 41, Section 1.)

March 4, 1895. **Voted,** To accept the provisions of Sections 20 and 21 of Chapter 50 of the Public Statutes, relative to the establishment and grading of sidewalks by the Selectmen. (General Laws, Chapter 83, Section 25.)

June 29, 1895. **Voted,** To accept the provisions of Chapter 304 of the Acts of 1895, authorizing the town of Milton to construct one or more systems of sewerage. (Special Act.)

March 1, 1897. **Voted,** To accept the provisions of Chapter 101 of the Public Statutes relative to the suppression of common nuisances. (General Laws, Chapter 139.)

March 7, 1898. **Voted,** To accept the provisions of Section 11 of Chapter 481 of the Acts of 1894, relative to the regulation and inspection of buildings. (General Laws, Chapter 143, Section 3.)

March 5, 1900. **Voted,** To accept the provisions of Chapter 344 of the Acts of 1899, relative to eight-hour day for town employees. (General Laws, Chapter 149, Section 31.)

March 3, 1902. **Voted,** To accept the provisions of Section 18 of Chapter 122 of the Revised Laws (General Laws, Chapter 166, Section 32), relative to the appointment of an Inspector of Wires by the Selectmen.

July 14, 1902. **Voted,** To accept the provisions of Chapter 307 of the Acts of 1902, relative to water supply. (General Laws, Chapter 92, Section 10.)

August 16, 1902. **Voted,** To accept the provisions of Sections 58 to 64, inclusive, of Chapter 48 of the Revised Laws, relative to the jurisdiction of towns over highways and county bridges. (General Laws, Chapter 82, Sections 17 to 20.)

March 2, 1903. **Voted,** To accept the provisions of Sections 20 and 21 of Chapter 25 of the Revised Laws, relative to public baths. (General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 12.)

March 2, 1903. **Voted,** To accept the provisions of Section 339 of Chapter 11 of the Revised Laws, relative to the election of Overseers of the Poor. (General Laws, Chapter 41, Section 1.)

March 7, 1904. **Voted,** To accept the provisions of Section 70 of Chapter 75 of the Revised Laws, relative to privy vaults. (General Laws, Chapter 111, Section 126.)

March 6, 1905. **Voted,** To accept the provisions of Chapter 103 of the Revised Laws, relative to the supervision of plumbing. (General Laws, Chapter 142.)

July 21, 1905. **Voted,** To accept the provisions of Chapter 381 of the Acts of 1905, relative to the suppression of gypsy and brown-tail moths. (General Laws, Chapter 132.)

March 1, 1909. **Voted,** To accept the provisions of Chapter 476 of the Acts of 1908, relative to vacations for members of the Police Department. (General Laws, Chapter 92, Section 62, and Chapter 147, Sections 14 and 17.)

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March 8, 1910. **Voted,** To accept the provisions of Section 43 of Chapter 49 of the Revised Laws, relative to the grading and construction of sidewalks. (General Laws, Chapter 83, Section 25.)

March 6, 1911. **Voted,** To accept the provisions of Section 359 of Chapter 560 of the Acts of 1907, relative to the election of Moderators. (General Laws, Chapter 41, Section 1.)

March 6, 1911. **Voted,** To accept the provisions of Section 362 of Chapter 560 of the Acts of 1907, relative to the election of four constables. (General Laws, Chapter 41, Section 1.)

November 7, 1911. **Voted,** To accept the provisions of Chapter 634 of the Acts of 1911, relative to the establishment by counties of the retirement system for employees. (General Laws, Chapter 32.)

March 4, 1912. **Voted,** To accept the provisions of Chapter 146 of the Acts of 1911, relative to the establishment of an Art Commission. (General Laws, Chapter 41, Sections 82 to 84.)

March 4, 1912. **Voted,** To accept the provisions of Chapter 468 of the Acts of 1911, relative to the extension of Civil Service Acts to Chiefs of Police. (General Laws, Chapter 31, Section 49.)

March 4, 1912. **Voted,** To accept the provisions of Chapter 314 of the Acts of 1911, relative to the expending of money by the School Committee for the supervision of sports. (General Laws, Chapter 71, Section 47.)

March 4, 1912. **Voted,** To accept the provisions of Chapter 367 of the Acts of 1911, relative to the use of school halls for other than school purposes. (General Laws, Chapter 71, Section 71.)

November 5, 1912. **Voted,** To accept the provisions of Chapter 503 of the Acts of 1912, relative to the pensioning of laborers in the employ of the town. (General Laws, Chapter 32, Section 77.)

March 3, 1913. **Voted,** To accept the provisions of Chapter 327 of the Acts of 1904, relative to the pensioning of permanent members of the Police and Fire Departments. (General Laws, Chapter 32, Section 85.)

March 3, 1913. **Voted,** To accept the provisions of Chapter 498 of the Acts of 1908, relative to the pension funds for teachers in the public school. (General Laws, Chapter 32, Section 42.)

March 3, 1913. **Voted,** To accept the provisions of Chapter 635 of the Acts of 1912, relative to tenement house regulation. (General Laws, Chapter 145.)

March 3, 1913. **Voted,** To accept the provisions of Chapter 191 of the Acts of 1907, relative to the establishment of a Board of Survey. (General Laws, Chapter 41, Sections 73 to 81.)

November 4, 1913. **Voted,** To accept the provisions of Chapter 807 of the Acts of 1913, relative to the compensation of certain employees for injuries sustained in the course of their employment. (General Laws, Chapter 152, Section 69.)

March 2, 1914. **Voted,** To accept the provisions of Chapter 807 of the Acts of 1913, relative to workmen's compensation. (General Laws, Chapter 152, Section 69.)

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March 2, 1914. **Voted,** To accept the provisions of Section 42 of Chapter 514 of the Acts of 1909 as amended by the provisions of Chapter 494 of the Acts of 1911, relative to the eight-hour day for city and town employees. (General Laws, Chapter 149, Sections 30 to 33.)

November 3, 1914. **Voted,** To accept the provisions of Chapter 217 of the Acts of 1914, relative to vacations for town laborers. (General Laws, Chapter 41, Section 111.)

March 13, 1915. **Voted,** To accept the provisions of Chapter 296, of the Acts of 1913, relative to the appointment of a Bird Warden. (General Laws, Chapter 131, Section 76.)

March 10, 1917. **Voted,** To accept the provisions of Chapter 15 of the Special Acts of 1917, revoking the reservation of space for use of street railway on Blue Hill Avenue. (Special Act.)

March 2, 1918. **Voted,** To accept the provisions of Chapter 140 of the Acts of 1917, amending Chapter 291 of the Acts of 1916, relative to the tenure of office of Chiefs of Fire Departments in the Metropolitan Fire Prevention District. (General Laws, Chapter 48, Section 58.)

March 2, 1918. **Voted,** To accept the provisions of Chapter 575 of the Acts of 1913, relative to the furnishing of lunches for school children. (General Laws, Chapter 71, Section 72.)

March 9, 1918. **Voted,** To accept the provisions of Chapter 305 of the Special Acts of 1917, relative to the management of the property received under the terms of the will of Edwin W. Wadsworth. (Special Act.)

March 8, 1919. **Voted,** To accept the provisions of Chapter 293 of the Acts of 1916, relative to the licensing of motor vehicles carrying passengers for hire. (General Laws, Chapter 159, Sections 45 and 46.)

March 8, 1919. **Voted,** To accept the provisions of Chapter 17 of the Special Acts of 1919, relative to the payment of an annuity to Catherine M. Moran. (Special Act.)

March 8, 1919. **Voted,** To accept the provisions of Chapter 16 of the Special Acts of 1919, relative to the payment of an annuity to Katherine K. McDermott.

March 13, 1920. **Voted,** to accept the provisions of Chapter 186 of the Acts of 1907, relative to the pensioning of widows and children of members of the Police and Fire Departments. (General Laws, Chapter 32, Section 88.)

May 3, 1920. **Voted,** To accept the provisions of Chapter 240 of the Acts of 1920, relative to sports and games on the Lord's Day. (General Laws, Chapter 136, Sections 21 to 28.)

November 2, 1920. **Voted,** To accept the provisions of Chapter 166 of the Acts of 1920, relative to the granting of one day off in every eight days to police officers without loss of pay. (General Laws, Chapter 147, Sections 16 and 17.)

March 12, 1921. **Voted,** To accept the provisions of Section 25A of Chapter 41 of the General Laws, relative to the appointment and renewal of Assistant Assessors by the Assessors.

March 3, 1923. **Voted,** To accept the provisions of Chapter 516 of the Acts of 1922, relative to the adoption of the State accounting system.

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June 12, 1923. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Section 20 of Chapter 39 of the General Laws, relative to precinct voting.

March 8, 1924. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Chapter 26 of the Acts of 1923, relative to Boards of Public Welfare.

March 8, 1924. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Chapter 337 of the Acts of 1921, relative to the pensioning of call men.

March 8, 1924. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Chapter 391 of the Acts of 1923, relative to the collection of water rates.

March 14, 1925. **Voted**, To accept Chapter 9 of the Acts of 1925, authorizing the retirement and pensioning of John H. Higgins of the Police Department.

March 25, 1927. **Voted**, To accept Chapter 27 of the Acts of 1927, an act to erect and constitute in the Town of Milton representative town government by limited town meetings.

March 10, 1928. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Sections 42, 43 and 44 of Chapter 48 of the General Laws to establish a Fire Department to be under the control of an officer to be known as the Chief of the Fire Department.

March 11, 1933. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of Section 26 of Chapter 46 of the General Laws, limiting the aggregate compensation to be allowed to the Town Clerk.

November 3, 1936. **Voted**, To accept Chapter 318 of the Acts of 1936 entitled "An Act for contributory retirement systems for cities and town."

March 12, 1938. **Voted**, To accept Chapter 231 of the Acts of 1937, providing for increasing the amount of certain annual allowances payable by the Town of Milton to widows of members of its police or fire force killed or dying from injuries received in the performance of duty.

March 12, 1938. **Voted**, To accept the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 152, Section 69 as amended by Acts of 1936, Chapter 403, which determines the employees who shall be included under the term "laborers, workmen and mechanics" so as to be entitled to workmen's compensation.

March 11, 1939. **Voted**, To accept Section 27-A and 30-A of Chapter 40 of the General Laws appearing in Section 1 and 2 of Chapter 133 of the Acts of 1938 entitled "An Act tending to prevent multiplicity of proposals for the same changes in Zoning ordinances or bylaws in their application."

March 14, 1952. **Voted**, To accept Sections 6 to 12 inclusive, of Chapter 143 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.), relating to the Inspection of Buildings.

March 13, 1943. **Voted**, To accept Section 11-A of Chapter 85 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.) as appearing in Section 1 of Chapter 710 of the Acts of 1941, relating to the registration and operation of bicycles.

March 4, 1944. **Voted**, To accept Section 6-C of Chapter 40 of the General Laws, an Act authorizing cities and towns to appropriate money for the removal of snow and ice from private ways therein open to public use.

March 10, 1945. **Voted**, To accept Section 3-A of Chapter 115 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.) regarding the payment of state or military aid or soldiers' relief.

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March 10, 1945. **Voted,** To accept Chapter 42 of the Acts of 1945, repealing Chapter 305 of the Special Acts of 1917 relating to the Wadsworth Trust.

March 9, 1946. **Voted,** To accept Section 16-B of Chapter 147 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.) as inserted in Section 2 of Chapter 426 of the Acts of 1938, providing for one day off in every six for police officers.

November 16, 1946. **Voted,** To accept Chapter 559 of the Acts of 1946, an act authorizing increases of the amounts of pensions payable to certain former public employees who have been retired.

March 1, 1947. **Voted,** To accept the provisions of Section 40 of Chapter 71 of the General Laws, as amended, relative to equal pay for men and women teachers.

March 1, 1947. **Voted,** To accept the provisions of Chapter 31 of the General Laws entitled Civil Service with respect to the official and labor service.

March 1, 1947. **Voted,** To accept the provisions of Chapter 31 of the General Laws entitled Civil Service with respect to janitors of School buildings.

March 8, 1947. **Voted,** To accept Section 6 of Chapter 576 of the Acts and Resolves of 1946 relative to the retirement of Police Officers and Firemen in certain towns.

March 8, 1947. **Voted,** To accept Section 65 of Chapter 44 of the General Laws (added by Chapter 635 of the Acts of 1945) which provides for payments in advance of wages which will be due employees during their vacations.

March 12, 1949. **Voted,** To accept Section 4B of Chapter 136 of the General Laws (inserted in said Chapter by Section 3 of Chapter 207 of the Acts of 1946) which permits the Selectmen to grant licenses for the operation of Bowling Alleys on the Lord's Day between the hours of one and eleven post meridian.

March 12, 1949. **Voted,** To accept the provisions of Chapter 515 of the Acts of 1948 relative to the pensioning of Foremen, Inspectors and others.

March 12, 1949. **Voted,** To accept Chapter 552 of the Acts of 1948 which by amendment to Chapter 32 of the General Laws provides additional and new benefits through annuities to dependents of certain public employees who die from injuries or hazards in the performance of their duties.

March 12, 1949. **Voted,** To accept Chapter 588 of the Acts of 1948 which provides that pensions or retirement allowances payable to certain former public employees or their beneficiaries shall be increased by \$200.

March 11, 1950. **Voted,** To accept Section 6B of Chapter 40 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.) authorizing the town to appropriate money for the purchase of uniforms for members of its Police and Fire Departments.

March 11, 1950. **Voted,** To accept Chapter 391 of the Acts of 1945 (now incorporated in the General Laws as Chapter 31, Section 100A).

March 10, 1951. **Voted,** To accept Chapter 538 of the Acts of 1950 which provides that cities and towns may, at the expense of the abutters make temporary minor repairs on private ways in certain cases.

March 10, 1951. **Voted,** To accept Chapter 820 of the Acts of 1950, which provides that pensions, retirement allowances, annuities and other benefits payable to any former employee who was separated from the service by retirement prior to November 1, 1949 and at the time of such separation had at least fifteen years creditable

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service, or to any person claiming under such former employee whether as beneficiary, dependent or otherwise, shall be increased by one hundred dollars; provided, the annual amount is not in excess of two thousand dollars.

March 10, 1951. **Voted**, To accept Chapter 783 of the Acts of 1950 making applicable increases in retirement allowances to those persons retired after January first, nineteen hundred and forty-six with a minimum allowance, said Chapter amending Section 25 of Chapter 32 of the General Laws as appearing in Section 1 of Chapter 658 of the Acts of 1945.

March 8, 1952. **Voted**, To accept Chapter 781 of the Acts of 1951 which provides that pensions, retirement allowances, annuities and other benefits payable to any former employee who was separated from the service of the Town by retirement prior to November 1, 1949 and at the time of such separation had at least fifteen years creditable service, or to any person claiming under such former employee whether as beneficiary, dependent or otherwise, shall be increased by one hundred dollars; provided the annual amount is not in excess of two thousand dollars; and further provides that if any such former employee was separated from the service at age sixty and had at the time of retirement at least 25 years of creditable service, and his pension as increased above is less than \$1200., it shall be increased to \$1200.

March 14, 1953. **Voted**, To accept Chapter 624 of the Acts of 1952 which provides that pensions, retirement allowances or annuity payable under any general or special law to any former employee, except teachers retired under Section 43 of Chapter 32 of the General Laws, who was separated from the service prior to April 1, 1951, and at the time of such retirement had attained age fifty-five and had at least fifteen years of creditable service, or to any person retired for disability caused by accident or hazard undergone while in the performance of his duties, regardless of years of creditable service, shall be increased by one hundred dollars; provided, the annual amount is not in excess of \$2500.; and further provides that if any such employee was separated from the service at age sixty-five and had at the time of retirement at least thirty-five years of creditable service and his pension is less than \$1500., it shall be increased to \$1500; and further provides that the annual amount of any annuity or allowance payable under the provisions of section nine, eighty-nine, eighty-nine A or under options (c) or (d) of sub-division (2) of section twelve of Chapter 32 of the General Laws, or any similar law, to the widow of any deceased employee of the town, shall be increased by \$100.; provided, that the member whose widow is receiving a pension under said options (c) or (d) had at least fifteen years of creditable service, and further provided, that such widow does not remarry.

March 13, 1954. **Voted** under Article 21 to accept the last paragraph of Section 15 of Chapter 129 of the General Laws under which provision is made for nomination of Inspectors of Animals by the Board of Health.

March 13, 1954. **Voted** under Articles 36 and 37 to accept Chapter 147 of the Acts of 1954 pertaining to sale of land by the Park Commissioners.

March 20, 1954. **Voted** under Article 61 to accept Chapter 146 of the Acts of 1954 which amends Chapter 307 of the Acts of 1902 by striking out Section 11 of said chapter which prohibits a person being elected a Water Commissioner who at the time of his election holds any elective Town office.

March 12, 1955. **Voted** under Article 9 that the town accept Section 851 of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), Chapter 32 inserted by Chapter 268 of the Acts of 1954 which grants additional retirement benefits to members of the police and fire departments who have served as reserve police officers or reserve or call firemen.



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MILTON TOWN RECORDS IN THE MUNICIPAL YEAR

1955



WARRANT

MARCH MEETING

Commonwealth of Massachusetts }
County of Norfolk } ss.

To any of the Constables of the Town of Milton in said County: GREETINGS:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Milton, qualified to vote in Elections and in Town affairs, to meet at the several designated Polling Places in their respective Precincts in said Milton, to wit:

- In Precinct 1. Tucker School Hall, Blue Hills Parkway,
- In Precinct 2. Basement, Kidder Branch, Milton Public Library, Blue Hills Parkway
- In Precinct 3. Police Station, Central Avenue,
- In Precinct 4. Central Fire Station, off Walnut Street,
- In Precinct 5. Town Hall, Canton Avenue,
- In Precinct 6. Basement, East Milton Branch Library, Edge Hill Road,
- In Precinct 7. Belcher School, Church Street,

on Saturday, March Fifth next, at eight o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to bring in to the Precinct Officers of their respective Precincts their votes on one ballot respectively for the following named Town Officers, to wit:

- A Moderator for the term of one year.
- A Town Clerk for the term of one year.
- A Town Treasurer for the term of one year.
- A Collector of Taxes for the term of one year.
- Three Selectmen and Surveyors of Highways for one year term.
- One Assessor for the term of three years.
- Two members of the Board of Public Welfare for the term of three years.
- One Sewer Commissioner for the term of three years.

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A Tree Warden for the term of one year.

Two members of the School Committee for the term of three years.

One member of the Board of Health for the term of three years.

One Trustee of the Cemetery for the term of five years.

Three Library Trustees for the term of three years and one for one year term.

One Park Commissioner for the term of three years.

One Water Commissioner for the term of three years.

One member of the Planning Board for the term of five years.

Four Constables for the term of one year.

One hundred five Town meeting Members as follows:

- Precinct 1. Fourteen for three years. One for two years and one for one year to fill vacancies.
- Precinct 2. Eleven for three years. One for two years to fill vacancy.
- Precinct 3. Eleven for three years. One for two years and three for one year to fill vacancies.
- Precinct 4. Twelve for three years. One for two years and one for one year to fill vacancies.
- Precinct 5. Sixteen for three years.
- Precinct 6. Fifteen for three years. One for one year to fill vacancy.
- Precinct 7. Fourteen for three years. One for two years and one for one year to fill vacancies.

For these purposes the polls will be open at each and all of said Precincts at eight o'clock in the forenoon and will be closed at six o'clock in the afternoon.

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RESULT OF THE ELECTION

PRECINCTS									
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Totals	
Selectmen									
* Charles F. Batchelder, jr.	305	283	372	317	672	493	245	2787	
Samuel C. Craig	245	244	327	264	559	510	285	2434	
* Daniel E. Duggan	343	388	311	455	653	779	584	3513	
Harold S. Halliday	332	212	254	266	456	343	264	2127	
* William H. White	455	446	237	522	534	623	560	3377	
Blanks	294	335	242	390	438	435	449	2583	
Town Clerk									
* Teresa Shaughnessy	600	580	531	657	1006	946	727	5047	
Blanks	58	56	50	81	98	115	102	560	
Assessor									
* William C. Hoxie	533	513	471	568	937	867	616	4505	
Blanks	125	123	110	170	167	194	213	1102	
Town Treasurer									
* Clyde L. Whittier	558	527	499	608	949	874	640	4655	
Blanks	100	109	82	130	155	187	189	952	
Tax Collector									
* Clyde L. Whittier	538	522	484	579	933	854	617	4527	
Blanks	120	114	97	159	171	207	212	1080	
School Committee									
* Harry E. Carlson	471	453	358	519	727	741	547	3816	
Francis C. Bates	154	192	153	156	257	362	291	1565	
Patricia A. Page	137	127	80	131	252	178	140	1045	
* W. Gordon Swan	339	271	403	389	623	502	358	2885	
Blanks	215	229	168	281	349	339	322	1903	
Park Commissioner									
* James A. Aicardi	445	390	284	440	559	296	219	2633	
Henry E. Mersch, Jr.	150	172	185	228	392	700	500	2327	
Blanks	63	74	112	70	153	65	110	647	

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PRECINCTS								
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Totals
Sewer Commissioner								
* James Perry Thurber	516	498	476	570	887	836	597	4380
Blanks	142	138	105	168	217	225	232	1227
Water Commissioner								
* Ernest E. Erickson	523	496	479	577	894	833	589	4391
Blanks	135	140	102	161	210	228	240	1216
Board of Health								
* Thomas H. Bilodeau	492	477	440	540	844	789	546	4128
Blanks	166	159	141	198	260	272	283	1479
Constables								
* William J. Cashman	428	399	446	461	806	711	505	3756
* Walter A. Dennis	409	368	334	376	640	570	387	3084
* James J. McGee	338	376	328	497	608	578	419	3144
* Richard F. Chamberlain	429	387	408	431	631	528	392	3206
Robert E. Hoxie	173	132	133	175	341	351	299	1604
Francis J. Shields	367	309	219	438	510	515	403	2761
Blanks	488	573	456	574	880	991	911	4873
Trustees of Public Library (Three Years)								
* James F. Ballard	517	491	441	556	863	791	551	4210
* Knight Ames	484	454	433	501	843	761	518	3994
* Elizabeth S. Smyth	484	449	416	507	843	771	551	4021
Blanks	489	514	453	650	763	860	867	4596
Trustee of Public Library (One Year)								
* John B. Moore	517	494	471	584	894	845	592	4397
Blanks	141	142	110	154	210	216	237	1210
Trustee of Cemetery								
* Thomas Wheeler	512	471	458	549	847	823	572	4232
Blanks	146	165	123	189	257	238	257	1375

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PRECINCTS								
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Totals
Tree Warden								
* John T. Hemenway	504	467	458	539	856	805	558	4187
Blanks	154	169	123	199	248	256	271	1420
Board of Public Welfare								
* G. Philip Grabfield	499	457	444	531	841	780	537	4089
* Oliver S. Sughrue	505	467	451	544	884	802	541	4194
Blanks	312	348	267	401	483	540	580	2931
Moderator								
* Benjamin F. Jaques	494	476	459	542	877	797	550	4195
Blanks	164	160	122	196	227	264	279	1412
Planning Board								
* Ray A. Hinds	498	471	443	542	853	820	576	4203
Blanks	160	165	138	196	251	241	253	1404

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TOWN MEETING MEMBERS

Precinct 1

THREE YEARS — Fourteen to be elected

*William C. Burnett	354	Clifford J. Glynn	250
*Forrest W. Carroll	403	*John J. Grant	312
*Desmond M. Collins	389	Barbara J. Gross	176
*George W. Collins	367	*Harold S. Halliday	391
*James J. Maloney, Sr.	414	Thomas P. Hill	171
*Albert J. McKinnon	373	*Edward J. Leary	309
*Bernard E. McTaggart	399	*Jeremiah J. Mahoney	327
*John W. Priestley	363	Thomas S. Parker	240
*Gussie H. Watson	340	Mary C. Ryan	258
Edward E. Bigelow	282	*Walter W. Taylor	329
Lloyd E. Carlsen	280	Blanks	2485

TWO YEARS — One to be elected

*Joseph N. Vogel	441	Blanks	217
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ONE YEAR — One to be elected

*Elliot L. Beale	399	Blanks	259
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Precinct 2

THREE YEARS — Eleven to be elected

*Fred A. Adams	394	*James J. O'Neill	430
*William B. Crosby	440	*Howard S. Patterson	385
*Mildred H. Draper	381	*Burton G. Brown, Jr.	319
*John F. Fitzgerald, Jr.	440	Doris E. Davis	250
*Andrew Hain	375	*Francis P. McDermott	319
*Byrne Harrington	410	Arthur Willis, Jr.	259
*Gladys L. Hill	375	Blanks	2219

TWO YEARS — One to be elected

Elizabeth H. Cox	154	*Anne E. White	228
Cordis M. Sargent	125	Blanks	119

Precinct 3

THREE YEARS — Eleven to be elected

*Edwin O. Baker	384	*Henry R. Watson, Jr.	390
*Samuel C. Bennett	357	Bailey B. Chadbourne	224
*Blake G. Cruckshank	368	Thompson W. Crosby	217
*Newton P. Darling	375	*Clifton L. Fasch	323
*Frank M. Eshleman	317	*Theodore S. Jones	332
*Dwight D. Evans	393	Standish Van Voorhis	240
*Everett H. Jenkins	380	Blanks	1727
*Henry W. Palmer	364		

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TWO YEARS — One to be elected

*Wilfred P. deMille	298	Blanks	137
Minor Trowbridge	146		

ONE YEAR — Three to be elected

*John L. Bremer II	346	Marion M. York	196
*Mary L. Bryant	255	Charles A. Young	241
*Herbert G. Vickerson	275	Blanks	430

Precinct 4

THREE YEARS — Twelve to be elected

*Newton S. Baker	405	Joseph P. Angeloni	271
*James F. Ballard	410	Mary A. Curley	314
*John F. Creedon	440	William E. Freeman	155
*Gilbert S. Crosby	367	Alfred V. Huntley, Jr.	214
*James T. Dunphy	401	Mary E. Keegan	212
*Thomas M. Gibbons	417	Joseph W. Leahy	177
*William L. Klehm	325	Albert J. Mahan	264
*Harold W. Melvin	334	*Anne L. McGee	353
*C. John Nazzaro	381	*Frederic R. Peinert	364
*Walter F. Peterson	335	Blanks	2405
Joseph V. Aieta	312		

TWO YEARS — One to be elected

Robert J. Kaler	256	Blanks	168
*John B. Martinelli	314		

ONE YEAR — One to be elected

*Joseph P. Garrity	509	Blanks	229
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Precinct 5

THREE YEARS — Sixteen to be elected

*Howard Abell	617	Philip Fay	246
*Malcolm D. Campbell	716	James D. Fitzgerald	297
*Joseph M. Cronin	645	Malcolm A. Gillis	179
*Spencer Field	574	Joseph B. Harte	138
*Owen E. Folsom	582	Gertrude Hooper	326
*Edward P. Hamilton	622	Robert E. Introne	285
*Walter S. Robbins	624	David Jeffries	306
*David T. Scott	596	Joseph H. Malloy, Jr.	272
*Russell Swift	658	*Thomas P. McSharry	367
*Howard S. Whiteside	576	*John B. Moore	562
*Samuel H. Wolcott, Jr.	637	Ferial R. Morrisette	139
H. Hartley Budd, Jr.	238	Michael F. O'Malley	235
*Harry E. Carlson	519	Patricia A. Page	318
Lewis A. Carter	326	Edward L. Sawyer	363
William H. Delay	314	*James A. Williams	393
*C. Mitchell Draper, Jr.	438	Blanks	4556

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Precinct 6

THREE YEARS — Fifteen to be elected

*Francis C. Bates	571	*Paul F. Ochs	728
*William L. Caldwell	808	*Carleton A. Rowe	617
*Harold F. Coleman	644	*Frances H. Walters	569
*Charles F. Collins	760	Walter Barry	386
*Joseph Goostroy	659	John P. Curran	414
*Edward P. Lake	660	Frederick A. Giles, Jr.	436
*Nathaniel C. Lord	603	*Alfred C. Swan	440
*Louis J. Mathieu	617	Herbert A. Vernerin	194
*Harry B. McCormick	702	Charles V. Williams	306
*Herbert H. Miller	638	Blanks	4499
*George F. Moulton	664		

ONE YEAR — One to be elected

Marvin F. Huban	315	Blanks	306
*Frank G. Lynn, Jr.	440		

Precinct 7

THREE YEARS — Fourteen to be elected

*Robert J. Blake, Jr.	626	*Charles B. Hoxie	431
*Herbert L. Bush	447	*M. Joseph Manning, Jr.	573
*Farquhar D. Carter	462	*Donald J. Watson	501
*Leighton A. Clapp	502	*Horace Wood	498
*Edward M. Coghlan	518	George H. Burr	289
*Walter E. Currier	472	*Noel W. Deering	344
*Daniel E. Duggan, Jr.	591	Ernest C. Gentry, Jr.	333
*Joseph A. Fusoni	510	Blanks	3942
*Edward T. Q. Hodges	566		

TWO YEARS — One to be elected

*Frank P. Fanning	570	Blanks	259
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ONE YEAR — One to be elected

*John F. Condon	283	Floyd A. Lamb	186
Frank J. Desmond	189	Blanks	171

* Means ELECTED

Precincts								
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Total
Vote Cast	658	636	581	738	1104	1061	829	5607
Number of Voters ..	2037	1651	1363	1729	2666	2314	1854	13614

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PRECINCT OFFICERS

Precinct 1

Roy W. Lincoln, Warden
Harold V. Burt, Dep. Warden
Carl H. Kullen, Clerk
Royal C. Lincoln, Inspector
John J. Donovan, Inspector
William F. Walsh, Dep. Inspector
Joseph B. Mooney, Dep. Inspector
Francis J. Poleski, Teller

Robert C. Duncan, Teller
William A. Will, Teller
Robert F. Krim, Teller
Katherine S. Gould, Teller
A. Paul Nilson, Teller
Ethel Nilson, Teller
Edna I. McKinnon, Teller
Lillian M. Priestley, Teller

Precinct 2

Walter H. Cavanaugh, Warden
Frank Delaney, Dep. Warden
Coleman J. Kennedy, Clerk
Lawrence D. Donovan, Dep. Clerk
Theodore E. Parker, Inspector
William J. Schwendemann, Inspector
Decran J. Gulesian, Dep. Inspector

Edward J. Shaughnessy, Teller
Charles J. Small, Jr., Teller
Frank S. Wyman, Teller
John F. O'Brien, Teller
Charles W. Flagg, Teller
Paul E. McLean, Teller

Precinct 3

T. Francis Fallon, Warden
Francis J. Ward, Dep. Warden
Thomas J. Moore, Dep. Clerk
Herman F. Clark, Inspector
W. Russell Pierce, Inspector
Horace J. Lawrence, Inspector

James F. Henry, Dep. Inspector
John A. Runey, Teller
Horace C. Plummer, Teller
Thomas F. Walsh, Teller
Donald J. Moriarty, Teller
George A. Lobban, Teller

Precinct 4

Charles E. Cross, Warden
Alfred W. Porter, Clerk
Robert J. Shaughnessy, Dep. Clerk
Benjamin B. B. Coleman, Inspector
M. Joseph Manning, Dep. Inspector
Henry V. Nelson, Dep. Inspector
John R. Hannigan, Teller

George F. Steptoe, Teller
George E. Holland, Teller
Ralph W. Baldwin, Teller
Hamilton D. Boris, Teller
Edward M. Sullivan, Teller
John J. Dias, Teller
Kenneth Lodge, Teller

Precinct 5

Frederick W. Kurth, Warden
Stanley F. Snell, Dep. Warden
John J. Monahan, Clerk
Nathan L. Pond, Inspector
Alfred L. Mullen, Inspector
John P. Byrne, Dep. Inspector
Howard A. Smith, Dep. Inspector

Eleanor L. Parker, Teller
Mary V. Coleman, Teller
Ruth M. Anderson, Teller
Eleanor M. Cappers, Teller
Russell Swift, Teller
John J. Gannon, Teller

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Precinct 6

Henry J. Quinn, Warden
Ralph E. DuMoulin, Dep. Warden
John T. O'Leary, Clerk
Arthur E. Brackett, Dep. Clerk
Alfred J. Martin, Inspector
Carl V. Payson, Inspector
Roland A. Bourdon, Dep. Inspector

Margaret H. Moore, Teller
Margaret G. Levins, Teller
Helen L. Stasey, Teller
Florence Fitzgerald, Teller
William D. Whitmore, Teller
George C. McCarty, Teller

Precinct 7

George E. Johnson, Warden
Robert E. Foster, Dep. Warden
Thomas W. McCormack, Clerk
Bradford H. Lewis, Dep. Clerk
Frank H. Foster, Jr., Inspector
Donald R. Ellis, Inspector
Gottfrid E. Sanford, Teller

Paul V. Morissette, Dep. Inspector
Frank J. Gannon, Dep. Inspector
William J. Gallagher, Teller
Michael F. Sullivan, Teller
Warren W. Hoxie, Teller
H. William Shimmin, Jr., Teller
Francis P. Hardcastle, Teller

And thereupon by adjournment of said meeting to meet on the following Saturday, to wit, March Twelfth next, at thirty minutes past one o'clock in the afternoon at the Town Hall in said Milton, then and there to act upon the following Articles, to wit:

ADJOURNED TOWN MEETING, MARCH 12, 1955

The meeting was opened at 1:30 P.M. by the Moderator, Benjamin F. Jaques. Town Meeting members stood while Rev. Norman D. Goehring delivered the invocation. The Moderator then read the names of Josiah Babcock, Jesse B. Baxter, Lincoln Bryant, Fred N. Krim and Frank A. Stout, Jr., Town Meeting Members who have died since last Town Meeting, and the Town Meeting Members stood for a moment of silence.

ARTICLE I. To choose all such Town Officers as are not required to be chosen by ballot.

Voted: To elect George P. Blenkhorn and John H. Freeman Measurers of Lumber.

ARTICLE 2. To hear and act upon the report of the Town Accountant and reports of other Town Officers and Committees.

Voted: That the report of the Town Accountant be accepted and placed on file.

That all committee reports as printed in the 1954 Town Report be accepted and placed on file.

Mr. Wilfred P. deMille, Chairman of the High School Construction Committee, which was appointed under Article 30 of the 1954 Warrant, gave a brief resume of the work done so far on the High School Addition. He will give a full report at the next Annual Town Meeting.

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Mr. Oscar W. Haussermann made a motion, which was seconded that Article 65 be moved forward and be acted upon immediately after action on Article 44.

Voted: that Article 65 be moved forward and be acted upon immediately after action on Article 44.

ARTICLE 3. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1955, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Voted: That the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and he hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1955, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.*

(Unanimous Vote)

ARTICLE 4. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow on and after January 1, 1956, in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year ending December 31, 1956

Voted: That the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and he hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time beginning January 1, 1956, for the purpose and subject to the provisions set forth in Section 5 of Chapter 44 of the General Laws and to issue a note or notes therefor payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17 of Chapter 44 of the General Laws; any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1956.

(Unanimous Vote)

ARTICLE 5. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Collector of Taxes to use all means of collecting taxes which a Town Treasurer, when appointed Collector, may use.

Voted: That the Town so vote.

ARTICLE 6. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to employ counsel to represent the Town at hearings before Committees of the General Court.

Voted: That the Town so vote.

(Unanimous Vote)

ARTICLE 7. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Moderator to appoint a committee of five citizens to consider such proceedings of the Legislature and State Boards and Commissions as may affect the interests of the Town, and confer as they may think expedient with the Selectmen in regard to the employment of counsel to represent the Town in any such proceedings; the members of such Committee to

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hold office until the final adjournment of the next Annual Town Meeting and until the appointment of any succeeding committee authorized at such meeting.

Voted: To authorize the Moderator to appoint a committee of five citizens to consider such proceedings of the Legislature and State Boards and Commissions as may affect the interests of the Town, and confer as they think expedient with the Selectmen in regard to the employment of counsel to represent the Town in any such proceedings; the members of such Committee to hold office until the final adjournment of the next Annual Town Meeting and until the appointment of any succeeding committee authorized at such meeting.

COMMITTEE

FRANK B. FREDERICK, Chairman, 45 Morton Road
MELVIN E. DOLAN, 198 Canton Avenue
DONALD JACKSON, 164 Pleasant Street
JOHN E. ROGERSON, 114 Canton Avenue
GEORGE N. HURD, JR., 189 Canton Avenue

ARTICLE 8. To see if the Town upon recommendation of the Board of Selectmen will vote to grant an annuity to Amanda H. Bohm and an annuity to Edward A. McCue under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), Chapter 32, Section 95, and will determine the annual amounts of such annuities and determine the amounts to be appropriated in the current year to pay said annuities; and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: To grant an annuity to Amanda H. Bohm under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), Chapter 32, Section 95, in the annual amount of \$475.00, said annuity to commence on March 15, 1955; and to appropriate the sum of \$376.04 to pay the said annuity in 1955; and also to grant an annuity to Edward A. McCue under the provisions of the same law in an annual amount of \$1,400.00, said annuity to commence on March 15, 1955; and to appropriate the sum of \$1,108.33 to pay said annuity in 1955; each of the said annuities to continue for the life of the respective annuitants and to be paid on a monthly basis at the end of each month on the last payroll day.

(Unanimous Vote)

ARTICLE 9. To see if the Town will vote to accept Section 851 of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), Chapter 32 inserted by Chapter 268 of the Acts of 1954 which grants additional retirement benefits to members of the police and fire departments who have served as reserve police officers or reserve or call firemen; and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: To accept Section 851 of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), Chapter 32 inserted by Chapter 268 of the Acts of 1954 which grants additional retirement benefits to members of the police and fire departments who have served as reserve police officers or reserve or call firemen; and to act on anything relating thereto.

ARTICLE 10. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to appropriate for Pensions and Annuities the present year:

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| 1. Police and Firemen | 5. Laborers |
| 2. Special Annuity | 6. School Teachers |
| 3. Annuities | 7. Veterans |
| 4. Police and Firemen's Widows | |

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Voted: That the following appropriations be made for:

1. Police and Firemen's Pensions	\$50,982.28
2. Special Annuity	1,700.00
3. Annuities	5,100.00
4. Police and Firemen's Widows' Pensions	3,000.00
5. Laborer's Pensions	10,203.72
6. School Teachers' Pensions	5,107.50
7. Veterans' Pensions	1,787.50

ARTICLE 11. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to appropriate for Veterans' Benefits the present year.

Voted: That the sum of \$30,000.00 be appropriated, of which \$1,695.20 is for salaries and wages.

ARTICLE 12. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to appropriate for the Contributory Retirement System; and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the sum of \$45,780.31 be appropriated, of which \$1,757.80 is for salaries and wages.

ARTICLE 13. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to appropriate for the Public Welfare Department the present year.

Voted: That the total sum of \$171,561.02 be appropriated, of which not more than \$19,119.84 is for salaries and wages, \$3,389.20 is for new equipment, and the department is hereby authorized to sell or exchange old equipment to furnish funds for new equipment; \$600.00 is for Medical Consultant; and \$100.00 is for the necessary expenses of officers and employees of the Department incurred outside the Commonwealth in securing information in which the Town may be interested or which may tend to improve the service of the Department; said appropriation to include:

General Relief	\$ 10,150.00
Old Age Assistance	123,500.00
Aid to Dependent Children	12,500.00
Disability Assistance	13,000.00
Other Administration Costs	1,613.00

ARTICLE 14. To see if the Town will vote that, beginning in the year 1956, it will not elect a tax collector but will authorize the Town Treasurer to act as tax collector; and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: That in each case until the Town otherwise votes, beginning in 1956 the Town do not elect a Tax Collector and that the Treasurer of the Town act as Tax Collector, beginning his term of office as Tax Collector under this vote at the end of the term of office of the Tax Collector elected in 1955, and upon giving the required bond and otherwise qualifying for the office of Tax Collector as required by law.

ARTICLE 15. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to appropriate for General Government for salaries and expenses of the following departments, and other purposes the present year:

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Warrant Committee 2. Selectmen 3. Accountant 4. Town Engineer 5. Assessors 6. Treasurer 7. Tax Collector 8. Town Clerk | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 9. Election and Registration 10. Law 11. Town Hall and Thacher Building 12. Insurance 13. Town Reports 14. Board of Appeals 15. Planning Board |
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Voted: That the following appropriations be made for:

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| 1. Warrant Committee | \$ 4,120.00 |
| Of which \$800.00 is for salaries and wages and \$500.00 is for the expenses incurred in a study and revision of the Wage and Salary Compensation Plan. | |
| 2. Selectmen | 8,685.60 |
| The salaries of the Selectmen are hereby fixed at \$800.00 for each Selectman for the calendar year 1955 and \$7,485.60 is appropriated for salaries and wages. | |
| 3. Accountant | 9,095.80 |
| Of which \$7,686.80 is for salaries and wages; and \$595.00 is for new equipment. | |
| 4. Town Engineer | 31,661.82 |
| Of which \$30,082.82 is for salaries and wages. | |
| 5. Assessors | 15,330.10 |
| Including the salary of the Chairman which is hereby fixed at \$1,500.00 and the salaries of each of the 2nd and 3rd members is hereby fixed at \$1,100.00; provided however, that the salary of any assessor shall be reduced by the amount which he receives as retirement allowance under General Laws, Chapter 32, and such a salary is hereby fixed accordingly. Also including \$8,935.56 for other salaries and wages. | |
| 6. and 7. Treasurer and Tax Collector | 21,200.67 |
| Including the salary of the Treasurer which for the calendar year 1955 shall be fixed at \$5,304.00; also including the salary of the Tax Collector from January 1 to March 5, 1955 which shall be fixed at \$711.00; also including \$10,463.21 for other salaries and wages; and including \$2,661.96 for new equipment. | |
| 8. Town Clerk | 12,308.19 |
| Including the salary of the Town Clerk which for the calendar year 1955 shall be fixed in the aggregate at \$4,360.80. Also including \$6,086.75 for other salaries and wages and \$885.64 for new equipment. | |
| 9. Election and Registration | 8,159.99 |
| Of which \$5,280.39 is for salaries and wages and including \$60.00 for new equipment. | |
| 10. Law | 8,784.00 |
| Of which \$6,500.00 is for salaries and wages. | |

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11. Town Hall and Thacher Building	18,158.66
Of which \$10,092.16 is for salaries and wages; \$600.00 is for overtime; and \$2,000.00 is for new equipment.	
12. Insurance	35,345.52
13. Town Reports	4,566.12
14. Board of Appeals	1,000.00
15. Planning Board	2,330.00
Of which \$600 is for salaries and wages.	

ARTICLE 16. To see if the Town will vote to increase the wages and/or salaries of the members of the Police Department and Fire Department \$300 per annum, retroactive to January 1, 1955; and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: That in addition to any other amounts appropriated for salaries and wages in the Fire Department and in the Police Department at this Meeting there be appropriated for the calendar year 1955 for the Fire Department the sum of \$15,300.00 and for the Police Department the sum of \$15,000.00, each of said appropriations being for the purpose of granting all members of the Fire Department and all members of the Police Department a raise of \$300 if under General Laws, Chapter 41, Section 108 the heads of the Police and Fire Departments, respectively, determine to fix salaries and wages in accordance with this vote.

(For new vote, see Article 16 after Article 47.)

ARTICLE 17. To see if the Town will vote to accept Chapter 573 of the Acts of 1954 which provides that notwithstanding the provisions of any general or special law to the contrary, any police officer of a city or town who is required to perform any service beyond his regular established hours of service on primary day, on election day, on the thirty-first day of October or at any parade or race or at any public celebration or while police listing, shall be compensated for such additional hours of service at the rate per hour of his regular compensation; and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the Town do not accept Chapter 573 of the Acts of 1954.

ARTICLE 18. To see if the Town will vote to accept Chapter 640 of the Acts of 1953 which provides that if any permanent member of the fire fighting force or fire alarm division of a fire department of a city or town is required to serve a tour of duty during the twenty-four hour period commencing at eight o'clock in the morning of January first, February twenty-second, April nineteenth, May thirtieth, July fourth, the first Monday of September, October twelfth, November eleventh, Thanksgiving day or Christmas day, or the day following when any of the five days first mentioned, or October twelfth, November eleventh or Christmas day, occurs on Sunday, he shall be given an additional day off, or, if such additional day off cannot be given because of personnel shortage or other cause, he shall be entitled to an additional day's pay; provided, that any such member who, through a rotation of shifts, works different days in successive weeks shall be granted, in each year in which the number of holidays falling on his regular days off is in excess of the number of holidays in such year falling on Saturday, additional days off equal to the excess, and, if any such additional day off cannot be given because of personnel shortage or other cause, an additional day's pay shall be allowed in lieu thereof; and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the Town do not accept Chapter 640 of the Acts of 1953.

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ARTICLE 19. To see if the Town will vote to accept Chapter 268 of the Acts of 1952 which provides that if any police officer of a city or town is required to work on January first, February twenty-second, April nineteenth, May thirtieth, July fourth, the first Monday of September, October twelfth, November eleventh, Thanksgiving day or Christmas day, or the day following when any of the five days first mentioned, or October twelfth, November eleventh or Christmas day occurs on Sunday, he shall be given an additional day off, or, if such additional day off cannot be given because of personnel shortage or other cause, he shall be entitled to an additional day's pay; provided, that, in the case of a police officer who works five or more days a week, and whose regular day off falls on any of the aforementioned holidays except when such holiday occurs on Saturday, an additional day shall be allowed, or payment in lieu of one day shall be allowed; and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the Town do not accept Chapter 268 of the Acts of 1952.

ARTICLE 20. To see if the Town will vote to accept Chapter 384 of the Acts of 1949 which provides that in any city or town which accepts this section, all members of its regular police and fire force may be granted a vacation without loss of pay. Such vacations shall be computed in the following manner:—

For five years' service, but less than ten years' service, a vacation of three weeks.

For ten years' service or more, a vacation of four weeks.

Section one hundred and eleven shall not apply to the members of the regular or permanent police or fire force in any such city or town.
and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the Town do not accept Chapter 384 of the Acts of 1949.

ARTICLE 21. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to appropriate for the protection of persons and property the present year:

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| 1. Police Department | 6. Street Lighting |
| 2. Fire Department | 7. Additional Lights |
| 3. Hydrant Service | 8. 1. Building Department |
| 4. Wire Department | 2. Plumbing Department |
| 5. Forestry Department | 9. Sealer of Weights and Measures |
| | 10. Traffic Lights |

Voted: That the following appropriations be made for:

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| 1. Police Department — General | \$206,084.78 |
| Private Work | 30,000.00 |

The above appropriation of \$206,084.78 includes the sum of \$183,761.78 for salaries and wages; \$8,640.00 for automotive equipment and the Department is hereby authorized to sell or exchange old equipment to furnish additional funds for new equipment; \$200.00 for the necessary expenses of officers and employees of the Department incurred outside the Commonwealth in securing information on matters in which the Town is interested or which may tend to improve the service of the Department; and the sum of \$1,700.00 for uniforms.

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| 2. Fire Department | 212,341.68 |
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The above appropriation of \$212,341.68 includes the sum of \$196,096.68 for salaries and wages; \$150.00 for the necessary

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expenses of officers and employees of the Department incurred outside the Commonwealth in securing information in which the Town is interested or which may tend to improve the service of the Department; \$2,380.00 for new hose; and \$1,500.00 for uniforms.

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| 3. Hydrant Service | 28,875.00 |
| The above appropriation is to be taken from the general taxes for the current year as Hydrant Rental, and is payable to the Water Department in quarterly installments upon presentation of its bills. | |
| 4. Wire Department | 25,562.63 |
| The above appropriation of \$25,562.63 includes the sum of \$17,934.28 for salaries and wages; \$750.00 for overtime; \$100.00 for the expenses of officers and employees of the Department incurred outside the Commonwealth in securing information on matters in which the Town is interested or which may tend to improve the service of the Department; \$1,636.85 for new equipment; and \$500.00 for expenses in connection with the Southeast Expressway. | |
| 5. Forestry Department | 41,183.80 |
| The above appropriation of \$41,183.80 includes the sum of \$33,287.80 for salaries and wages; \$300.00 for overtime for tree climbers; and the aggregate appropriation for the Department includes \$2,500.00 to be expended in control work against Dutch Elm Disease as required under Acts of 1949, Chapter 761, Section 13; \$5,000.00 to be expended for Insect-Pest Control under Acts of 1948, Chapter 660, Section 11; and \$2,500.00 for Private Work. | |
| 6. Street Lighting | 61,330.00 |
| 7. Additional Lights | 1,000.00 |
| 8. Building Department .. | 9,591.78 |
| The above appropriation of \$9,591.78 includes the sum of \$8,450.28 for salaries and wages. | |
| Plumbing Inspector | 1,600.00 |
| 9. Sealer of Weights and Measures | 1,640.75 |
| Of which \$1,200.00 is for salaries and wages; and \$50.00 is for necessary expenses of officers and employees of the Department incurred outside the Commonwealth in securing information on matters in which the Town is interested or which may tend to improve the service of the Department | |
| 10. Traffic Lights | 1,400.00 |

ARTICLE 22. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to appropriate for Health and Sanitation the present year.

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| 1. Health — General | 5. Maintenance of Tuberculosis Clinic |
| 2. Dental Dispensary for Schools | 6. Mandatory Hospitalization |
| 3. Inspector of Animals | 7. Disposal Area |
| 4. Sewer Maintenance | 8. Rodent Control |

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Voted: That the following appropriations be made for:

1. Health — General	\$10,965.00
Of which \$7,059.00 is for salaries and wages and \$75.00 is for new equipment.	
2. Dental Dispensary for Schools	2,150.00
3. Inspector of Animals	300.00
4. Sewer Maintenance	16,139.25
Of which \$10,025.25 is for salaries and wages; and \$200 is for overtime.	
5. Maintenance of Tuberculosis Clinic	1,350.00
6. Mandatory Hospitalization	5,000.00
7. Disposal Area	3,771.50
Of which \$3,571.60 is for salaries and wages.	
8. Rodent Control	400.00

ARTICLE 23. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to appropriate for the disposal of garbage, ashes and other refuse the present year.

Voted: That the sum of \$86,520.00 be appropriated for the disposal of garbage, ashes and other refuse the present year.

ARTICLE 24. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 for the purpose of maintaining, during the ensuing year, the mosquito control works.

Voted: That the sum of \$500.00 be appropriated for the purpose of maintaining during the ensuing year the mosquito control works as estimated and certified to by the State Reclamation Board in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 112, Acts of 1931.

ARTICLE 25. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,800.00 to reduce the mosquito nuisance in the swamp areas of the Town, consisting of approximately 500 acres, by spraying from the air by helicopter; and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the sum of \$1,800.00 be appropriated to reduce the mosquito nuisance in the swamp areas of the Town (approximately 500 acres) by spraying from the air by helicopter.

ARTICLE 26. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to expend for the construction of sewers for sanitary purposes and for sewage disposal and to appropriate and raise by borrowing or otherwise money for the same; and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the Town vote to appropriate the sum of \$122,207.58 of which \$17,867.58 is for salaries and wages; \$1,200.00 is for overtime; and that to meet said appropriation there shall be raised from the tax levy of the current year the sum of \$52,207.58, and that the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen be and he

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hereby is authorized to borrow the sum of \$70,000.00 and to issue bonds or notes bearing on their face the words "Town of Milton Sewer Construction Loan, 1955" and to be payable in accordance with Chapter 44 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.), so that the whole loan shall be paid in not more than five years from the date of the first bond or note, or by such earlier date as the Treasurer and the Selectmen shall determine.

(Unanimous Vote)

ARTICLE 27. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to appropriate for the Water Department for the current year and to provide for the disposition of obsolete property; and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the Town vote to appropriate the sum of \$253,154.13 for the general uses of the Water Department during the present year, to be expended by the Water Commissioners in accordance with the Acts of 1902, Chapter 307, and Acts in amendment thereof and in addition thereto, said uses to include:

- a. The sum of \$71,207.80 for salaries and wages;
- b. The sum of \$6,601.32 for temporary help;
- c. The sum of \$3,500.00 for overtime;
- d. The Metropolitan Water Assessment;
- e. The retirement of bonds and/or notes outstanding in Town of Milton Water Loans;
- f. The interest on bonds and/or notes outstanding in Town of Milton Water Loans;
- g. The sum of \$35,000.00 for the extension of, and improvement to, the system of mains;
- h. A sum of \$2,000.00 for the purchase of a car for the superintendent and a sum of \$3,007.50 for other new equipment; and the Department is hereby authorized to sell or exchange old equipment to furnish additional funds for the purchase of new equipment;
- i. The sum of \$250.00 for the necessary expenses of officers and employees of the Department incurred outside the Commonwealth in securing information on matters in which the Town is interested or which may tend to improve the service of the Department;
- j. All other lawful expenditures; and the Water Commissioners are hereby authorized to sell without first obtaining the approval of the Board of Selectmen, junk, metal, cast iron, brass and similar material and discarded meters, whether dismantled or not, in the usual course of its operation;

And that to meet said appropriation \$150,173.47 be raised from the tax levy of the current year and \$102,980.66 be transferred from the available Water Department Surplus as of December 31, 1954.

(Unanimous Vote)

ARTICLE 28. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to appropriate for expenditure by the Board of Water Commissioners, said sum to be held in a special account to be known as the Account for Mains in Private Ways and to be expended for the purpose of constructing water mains and appurtenances in private ways as to which deposits shall have been made to reimburse the Town for such expenditures. No such expenditure shall be made in or liability incurred in con-

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nection with any such way in excess of the deposit made for such way and until after such deposit has been made, and until after takings have been made of rights and easements necessary for the construction and maintenance of such water mains and appurtenances; and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the sum of \$9,305.18 be appropriated from available funds on hand January 1, 1955.

ARTICLE 29. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to appropriate for the purpose of leasing suitable headquarters for the following Veterans' Organizations:

1. Milton Post No. 2178, Veterans of Foreign Wars
2. George P. Bertram, Jr., Chapter No. 104 of the Disabled American Veterans and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the following sums for the purpose of leasing suitable headquarters be appropriated:

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| 1. Milton Post No. 2178, Veterans of Foreign Wars | \$375.00 |
| 2. George P. Bertram, Jr., Chapter No. 104 of the
Disabled American Veterans | 240.00 |

ARTICLE 30. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to appropriate for the observance of Memorial Day, 1955.

Voted: That the sum of \$700.00 be appropriated.

ARTICLE 31. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to appropriate for the celebration of the Fourth of July, 1955.

Voted: That the sum of \$500.00 be appropriated.

ARTICLE 32. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to appropriate for the observance of Veterans Day, 1955.

Voted: That the sum of \$100.00 be appropriated.

ARTICLE 33. To see what sum the Town will vote to appropriate for Civil Defense for the current year; and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the sum of \$950.00 be appropriated.

ARTICLE 34. To see what sum the Town will vote to appropriate for lighting and decorating the Town at Christmas, 1955; and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the Town make no appropriation for lighting and decorating the Town at Christmas.

ARTICLE 35. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to appropriate for wages and other expenses in connection with taking the State Census in the Town of Milton; and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the sum of \$760.00 be appropriated.

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ARTICLE 36. To see if the Town will vote to amend Chapter 10 of the General By-laws of the town (having to do with Zoning) by changing the Zoning Map which is incorporated into said By-law so that the area bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at the zoning boundary line of Residence C District and Residence B District on the easterly side of Central Avenue opposite Hinckley Road and running easterly by the zoning boundary line of Residence C District and Residence B District 1068 feet;
Thence running southeasterly by the zoning boundary line of Residence C District and Residence B District 623 feet to the northerly sideline of Canton Avenue at Brook Road;
Thence running southwesterly by the northerly side of Brook Road 112 feet;
Thence running northwesterly 155 feet;
Thence running westerly by two courses 302 feet and 235 feet;
Thence running southerly 20 feet;
Thence running westerly by four courses 275 feet, 147 feet, 183 feet and 209 feet;
Thence running northerly by two courses 550 feet and 313 feet;
Thence running westerly 62 feet;
Thence running northerly 65 feet;
Thence running westerly 123 feet to the easterly sideline of Central Avenue;
Thence running northerly by the easterly sideline of Central Avenue 420 feet to the zoning district boundary line and point of beginning.
heretofore included in Residence C District shall hereafter be included in Residence B District; and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the Town do not amend Chapter 10 of the General By-laws of the Town under this Article.

ARTICLE 37. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Park Commissioners to purchase or take by eminent domain for Park or Playground purposes all or part of the area of land bounded and described substantially as follows:

Beginning at the Northwesterly corner of said parcel at the Easterly side of Central Avenue and the Southwesterly corner of Lot identified as "Robert A Barrett";
Thence turning and running in a Southwesterly direction along the Easterly line of said Central Avenue 40.35 feet;
Thence turning and running in a Southeasterly direction along land now or formerly of Dorothy Maskell to a stone bound 150 feet;
Thence turning and running in a Southwesterly direction 52.00 feet;
Thence turning and running in a Northwesterly direction to said Central Avenue 150.00 feet;
Thence turning and running in a Southwesterly direction along the Easterly line of said Central Avenue 275.00 feet;
Thence turning and running in a Southeasterly direction 100.00 feet;
Thence turning and running in a Southwesterly direction 225.21 feet;
Thence turning and running in a Southeasterly direction 23.08 feet;
Thence turning and running in a Southwesterly direction 65.00 feet;
Thence turning and running in a Southeasterly direction 61.92 feet;
Thence turning and running in a Southwesterly direction 132.49 feet;
Thence turning and running in a Southeasterly direction 100.00 feet;
Thence turning and running in a Southwesterly direction 180.00 feet;
Thence turning and running in a Northwesterly direction 100.00 feet;

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Thence turning and running in a Southwesterly direction 428.11 feet to the Southerly Boundary of Part of Pine Tree Brook Channel;

Thence turning and running in an Easterly and Northeasterly direction along the Southerly boundary of said Pine Tree Brook Channel 612.41 feet, and 233.75 feet;

Thence turning and running in a Northwesterly direction 20.00 feet;

Thence turning and running in a Northeasterly direction 160.50 feet;

Thence turning and running in a Northwesterly direction 1.50 feet;

Thence turning and running in a Northeasterly direction 75.00 feet;

Thence turning and running in a Southeasterly direction 30.44 feet;

Thence turning and running in a Northeasterly direction along the Southerly boundary of said Pine Tree Brook Channel 240.11 feet;

Thence turning and running in a Southeasterly direction to the Northerly boundary of Brook Road 147.38 feet;

Thence turning and running in a Northeasterly direction along said Brook Road 60.80 feet to a stone bound; thence in a Northeasterly direction 62.27 feet along the Northwesterly line of Canton Avenue;

Thence turning and running in a Northwesterly direction 123.16 feet and 34.46 feet;

Thence turning and running in a Northeasterly direction 44.00 feet;

Thence turning and running in a Northwesterly direction 338.80 feet;

Thence continuing in a more Westerly direction 496.00 feet;

Thence turning and running in a Northeasterly direction 264.70 feet to a stone bound;

Thence turning and running in a Northwesterly direction 470.38 feet;

Thence turning and running in a Westerly direction 98.33 feet;

Thence turning and running in a Southwesterly direction 104.97 feet;

Thence turning and running in a Westerly direction 81.32 feet;

Thence turning and running in a Southwesterly direction 113.90 feet;

Thence turning and running in a Northwesterly direction 126.78 feet to the point of beginning.

"Being the parcel of land sold by Turner Trustee to Connolly by deed recorded with Norfolk Registry of Deeds in Book 3330, Page 65 and shown on plan recorded with said deed."

and to authorize the Board of Park Commissioners to exercise in connection with the area acquired all usual and necessary powers, and to raise and appropriate money to acquire the same; and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the Town authorize the Board of Park Commissioners to purchase or take by eminent domain for Park purposes the area of land bounded and described precisely as set forth in this Article; to appropriate the sum of \$30,000.00 for the purpose of acquiring the same and to meet said appropriation there be transferred from the balances on hand in the following accounts, being receipts for Sale of Land:

Part of East Milton Playground	\$20,000.00
Blue Hill Avenue at Dollar Lane	7,000.00
Blue Hill Avenue at Atherton Street	3,000.00
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	\$30,000.00

and to authorize the Park Commissioners to exercise in connection with said parcel of land all usual and necessary powers.

(Passed by Two-Thirds Vote — Yes 178, No 78)

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ARTICLE 38. To see if the Town will vote to advise and request the Selectmen to determine that the easement and rights hereinafter described are no longer required for public purposes. Such easements and rights are those taken by the Town by Order of Taking filed and registered with Norfolk Registry of Deeds on July 8, 1954, and recorded with said Deeds in Book 3277, Page 267, and registered as Document No. 164262 and shown on a plan consisting of three sheets numbered 4, 5 and 6 filed with said Order of Taking; and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the Board of Selectmen determine forthwith that the part of the easement described in the recommendation of the Warrant Committee under Article 39 is no longer required for public purposes.

ARTICLE 39. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen in the name and on behalf of the Town to abandon without payment of any amount for such abandonment the easement and rights taken by the Town by Order of Taking filed and registered with Norfolk Registry of Deeds on July 8, 1954, and recorded with said Deeds in Book 3277, Page 267, and registered as Document No. 164262 and shown on a plan consisting of three sheets numbered 4, 5 and 6 filed with said Order of Taking; and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the Board of Selectmen be and they hereby are authorized to abandon without payment of any amount for such abandonment the easement and rights in a parcel of land bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the Southeasterly boundary of a taking hereinafter referred to at the Easterly end of a curve in said boundary at land now or formerly of John H. Peterman and running Northwesterly by said Peterman land 20 feet;

Thence turning and running Northeasterly by said Peterman land and lands now or formerly of Joseph J. McCloskey and now or formerly of Clifford W. Davis 160.50 feet;

Thence turning and running Northwesterly by land now or formerly of Mary G. Tucker 1.50 feet;

Thence turning and running Northeasterly by said Tucker land 75 feet;

Thence turning and running Southeasterly by said Tucker land 30.44 feet;

Thence turning and running Southwesterly by said Southeasterly boundary of said taking to the point of beginning;

Said parcel of land is composed of four acres containing 950 square feet, 1350 square feet, 1330 square feet and 2120 square feet, respectively, as shown on a plan entitled "Town of Milton Proposed Plan Profile and Location of part of Pine Tree Brook Showing Construction Data and Easement" sheet 4 of 13 sheets dated April 1954 by Alexander E. Manning, Town Engineer. Said parcel of land is included in an easement taken by the Town of Milton for a main drain by an instrument dated July 1, 1954 and recorded in the Registry of Deeds for Norfolk County in Book 3277 at Page 267, and registered in the Land Court Registry District for Norfolk County as Document No. 164262 on July 8, 1954.

(Unanimous Vote)

Prior to the Town taking action under Article 39, the Selectmen voted that the land described in the foregoing vote under Article 39 was no longer needed for public purposes.

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ARTICLE 40. To see what action the Town will take with respect to continuing the improvement of Pine Tree Brook and the disposition of the money appropriated in 1954 for said improvement but not yet expended; and to see whether the Town will vote to authorize the Moderator to appoint a committee of three or five citizens of the Town to study, in consultation with the Selectmen, all proposals with respect to the improvement of Pine Tree Brook; and request said committee and the Selectmen to report to the next annual meeting of the Town; and to appropriate money for the use of said committee; and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the money appropriated under Article 48 of the 1954 Annual Town Meeting be used for the purpose for which appropriated; that no action be taken to continue the improvement of Pine Tree Brook until the 1956 Annual Town Meeting, except to complete work in Step 1, authorized in 1953 and in Step 2, authorized in 1954; that the Moderator be authorized to appoint a committee of five citizens of this Town to study, in consultation with the Selectmen, all proposals with respect to the improvement of Pine Tree Brook; and that said Committee report to the Selectmen from time to time and to the 1956 Annual Town Meeting; and that the sum of \$1,000.00 be appropriated for the use of said committee.

COMMITTEE

JOHN E. ROGERSON, Chairman, 114 Canton Avenue
PAUL F. DUDLEY, 185 School Street
EDWARD P. HAMILTON, 145 Dudley Lane
NORMAN E. KINGSBURY, 623 Blue Hills Parkway
HAROLD F. LEWIS, 184 Edge Hill Road

ARTICLE 41. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen in the name and behalf of the Town to enter into an agreement with the Commonwealth of Massachusetts as authorized by General Laws, Chapter 91, Section 29, as amended, under the terms of which the Town will assume liability for all damages to property suffered by any person by any taking of land or of any right, interest, or easement therein made by the Commonwealth through the Department of Public Works in connection with the improvement development, maintenance, and protection of Pine Tree Brook in the Town of Milton; and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the Town do not authorize the Selectmen to enter into an agreement with the Commonwealth of Massachusetts as authorized under General Laws, Chapter 91, Section 29, as amended.

ARTICLE 42. To see what sum of money the Town will appropriate and pay to the Treasurer of the Commonwealth in the ensuing year under General Laws, Chapter 91, Section 29, as amended, for the improvement of Pine Tree Brook; and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: That no sum of money be appropriated.

ARTICLE 43. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to appropriate for the general use of the Board of Park Commissioners the present year.

Voted: That the sum of \$24,345.60 be appropriated of which \$13,549.60 is for salaries and wages; \$3,000.00 is for the development of Andrews Playground; and \$3,000.00 is for the development of the Mary Chase Lane Memorial Playground.

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ARTICLE 44. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen in the name and behalf of the Town to purchase or take by eminent domain under General Laws, Chapter 79, for public parking purposes all or part of a parcel of land on Franklin Street, bounded and described substantially as follows:

Beginning at a point on the westerly sideline of Franklin Street 60 feet from a stone bound at the intersection of Adams Street and Franklin Street, and running westerly a distance of 71.76 feet by land now or formerly of James Petkun;

Thence running northerly and westerly in two courses 13.30 feet and 126.83 feet by land now or formerly of Caterina Enrico, Trustees;

Thence running northerly and westerly in two courses 75.64 feet and 29.00 feet by land now or formerly of Antonio Randazzo;

Thence running northerly along the easterly sideline of Adams Court 47.46 feet;

Thence running easterly 213.47 feet by land now or formerly of Jennie Randazzo, Vera M. Nickerson and Mary B. Cates;

Thence running southerly by two courses along the westerly sideline of Franklin Street 11.21 feet and 165.67 feet to the point of beginning.

Containing approximately 30594 square feet.

and to authorize the Board of Selectmen to exercise in connection with said parcel of land all usual and necessary powers and to raise and appropriate money to acquire said land; and to act on anything relating thereto.

Benjamin Alexander, temporary chairman of the Planning Board read the following report of the Planning Board, dated March 12, 1955.

March 12, 1955

To the Citizens of the Town of Milton:

In its study of the East Milton Business Area, the Planning Board recognizes it as a small business center which developed throughout the years to accommodate the needs of a part of Milton and which was not developed to attract business to Milton from other surrounding towns and cities. In that light, the Planning Board feels that the citizens of the Town would greatly benefit both in safety and convenience by the establishing of an off-street parking area in East Milton.

With the loss of an area able to accommodate approximately 100 cars, due to the construction of the Southeast Expressway, more cars have to look for street parking and consequently the parking conditions in East Milton are more acute than ever before. The resulting situation in an area such as East Milton Square, with streets of limited width, is that parking interferes with the free movement of traffic and traffic in turn makes it extremely difficult to park.

The choice of an area sufficient in size, properly located and within the present-day requirements for individuals to walk from parking area to shopping area, is extremely limited. The parcel proposed by the Board of Selectmen, consisting of about 31,000 square feet is centrally located, will accommodate 64 cars and will provide enough width for a circular lane to all for a separate entrance and exit onto Franklin Street and make for free movement of traffic.

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Again this year, the Planning Board unanimously agrees and firmly believes that it would be forward looking to purchase this area for a Town-owned parking area.

MILTON PLANNING BOARD

JOHN H. BOWIE, Chairman
RAY A. HINDS
WALTER S. ROBBINS
EDWARD DYSON
BENJAMIN F. ALEXANDER

A substitute motion made by Daniel E. Duggan, Chairman of the Board of Selectmen, was offered and lost. Yes — 117, No — 120 (Two-thirds vote being required for acceptance.)

Frank P. Fanning then submitted the following motion:

A committee of five citizens be appointed by the Moderator to consider the effects of the construction of the Southeast Expressway upon the East Milton area, the loss of a portion of the business zone, impact on traffic, parking and the streets in the immediate vicinity of the construction; and to report its findings and recommendations to the Town on or before December 1, 1955.

Voted: That a committee of five citizens be appointed by the Moderator to consider the effects of the construction of the Southeast Expressway upon the East Milton area, the loss of a portion of the business zone, impact on traffic, parking and the streets in the immediate vicinity of the construction; and to report its findings and recommendations to the Town on or before December 1, 1955.

COMMITTEE

G. NELSON ARMITAGE, 115 Otis Street
JOHN H. BOWIE, 18 Webster Road
LEO V. CONCANNON, 36 Sheridan Drive
EDWARD J. FINERTY, 45 Wood street
ROLAND GRAY, JR., 300 Adams Street

Mr. James B. Maguire, 36 Columbine Road to replace Mr. G. Nelson Armitage, who died June 20, 1955.

5:20 P. M., Voted to adjourn until 1:30 P. M., March 19, 1955.

1:30 P. M., March 19, 1955. Moderator called meeting to order.

ARTICLE 65. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, in part by bond issue and in part from the tax levy of the current year, for the erection, equipping and furnishing of an addition to the Central Public Library and for alterations incident to said construction; and further to see if the Town will authorize the Moderator to appoint a Committee of five citizens to employ the services of an architect, to advertise and secure bids, to let a contract or contracts and to supervise the said work, all in the name and behalf of the Town; and to act on anything relating thereto.

On motion of Copeland Draper, it was voted to consider substitute motion for Article 65, asking for an appropriation of \$312,500. The vote, Yes — 131, No — 90.

This substitute motion asking for \$312,500.00 was lost. The vote, Yes — 102, No — 138.

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Second substitute motion presented by Mr. Brooks, Chairman of the Warrant Committee, asking for a committee of five persons with an appropriation of \$2,500.00, lost.

At 3:25 on motion of Richard Perry, the vote passed on the second substitute motion was reconsidered and passed as follows:

Voted: That the Moderator be authorized to appoint a committee of five persons to make a study of the requirements of a suburban library in relation to the needs of the Town and to the school system whose own library facilities are expanding, said Committee to report to the Warrant Committee and the Selectmen on or before November 1, 1955, and to the next Annual Town Meeting; and that the sum of \$2,500.00 be appropriated for the use of said committee.

(The Vote — Yes 119, No 105)

COMMITTEE

LOUIS J. MATHIEU, Chairman, 25 Chesterfield Road
EDWARD P. LAKE, 22 Glendale Road
BRIG.-GENERAL FRANK J. McSHERRY, 118 Woodland Road
MRS. RALSTON B. SMYTH, 294 Edge Hill Road
DR. EDMUND R. MITIGUY, 75 Cliff Road

ARTICLE 45. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to appropriate for the support of schools for the year 1955 and for unpaid bill of 1953; and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the total sum of \$975,020.45 be appropriated as follows: \$809,149.32 for salaries and wages; \$167.96 for an unpaid bill of 1953; (unanimous vote) and including the sum of \$450.00 for the necessary expenses of officers and employees of the Department incurred outside the Commonwealth in securing information on matters in which the Town is interested or which may tend to improve the service of our schools in 1955.

ARTICLE 46. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to appropriate for Vocational Education under the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 74; and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the following appropriations be made for:

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| 1. Vocational Education | \$6,000.00 |
| 2. State-Aided Practical Arts Classes | 3,750.00 |

ARTICLE 47. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to appropriate for the maintenance and improvement of the Cemetery the present year.

Voted: That the sum of \$58,864.40 be appropriated, of which \$42,364.40 is for salaries and wages; \$2,000.00 is for overtime; \$200.00 is for new equipment; \$3,500.00 is for tree work; and including the sum of \$150.00 for the necessary expenses of officers and employees of the Department incurred outside the Commonwealth in securing information on matters in which the Town may be interested or which may tend to improve the service of the Department; and that to meet said appropriation the sum of \$45,864.40 be raised from the tax levy of the current year; and the balance of \$13,000.00 shall be used from the Interest on Cemetery Perpetual Care Fund Account.

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ARTICLE 16. (Warrant Committee motion to reconsider)

To see if the vote taken on March 12 under Article 16 to make an appropriation of \$15,300 for the Fire Department and \$15,000 for the Police Department to provide increases in compensation shall be reconsidered.

Voted: That the special appropriation made for the Fire Department under Article 16 in the amount of \$15,300 be reduced to \$15,000 and that the remaining appropriation of \$15,000 be considered a separate appropriation, no part of which shall be available to raise the compensation of the Clerical Assistant in the office of the Chief of the Fire Department; and that the special appropriation made for the Police Department under Article 16 in the amount of \$15,000 be reduced to \$14,400 and that the remaining appropriation of \$14,400 be considered a separate appropriation, no part of which shall be available to raise the compensation of the Clerical Assistant to the Chief of Police Department nor to raise the compensation of the mechanic in the Police Department.

ARTICLE 48. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to appropriate for the Highway Department the present year and for unpaid bills of 1954.

Voted: That the following appropriations be made for:

1. General Expense	\$142,875.00
2. Drainage	9,000.00
3. Permanent Construction	10,000.00
4. Private Work	3,000.00
5. Sidewalks	3,000.00
6. New Equipment	12,475.00
7. Unpaid Bills for 1954 (Unanimous Vote)	801.07

From the aggregate amounts appropriated under this Article, under Article 49, under Article 50 and under Article 51 taken together, the following sums, but no more, shall be available for salaries, wages and overtime; namely: \$142,459.06 for salaries and wages and \$10,000.00 for overtime.

ARTICLE 49. To see what sum the Town will vote to appropriate for maintaining, repairing, improving and constructing ways under the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 90.

Voted: That the sum of \$4,500.00 be appropriated to be expended for maintaining, repairing, improving and constructing ways under the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 90 and that to meet said appropriation there be raised from the tax levy of the current year the sum of \$1,500.00 and that the sum of \$3,000.00 be appropriated from available funds on hand January 1, 1955, to meet the State's and County's share of the cost of the work, the reimbursements from the State and County to be restored upon their receipt to available funds in the treasury.

(Unanimous Vote)

ARTICLE 50. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$8,000.00 to meet the Town's share of the cost under General Laws, Chapter 90, for reconstructing or resurfacing the following public ways:

Eliot Street from Morton Road to Adams Street (Resurfacing)	1200 feet
Pleasant Street from Bradford Road to Gun Hill Street (Reconstructing)	1600 feet

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and in addition to see if the Town will recommend that the sum of \$24,000.00 shall be appropriated from available funds in the Treasury or shall be borrowed by the Treasurer under General Laws, Chapter 41, Section 6A, to meet the State's and County's share of the cost of the above work; and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the sum of \$32,000.00 be appropriated to be expended for the reconstructing or resurfacing of the following public ways:

Eliot Street from Morton Road to Adams Street (Resurfacing	1200 feet
Pleasant Street from Bradford Road to Gun Hill Street (Reconstructing)	1600 feet

and that to meet said appropriation there be raised from the tax levy of the current year the sum of \$8,000.00 and that the sum of \$24,000.00 be appropriated from available funds on hand January 1, 1955, to meet the State's and County's share of the cost of the work, the reimbursements from the State and County to be restored, upon their receipt to available funds in the treasury.

(Unanimous Vote)

ARTICLE 51. To see if the Town will vote to accept the following streets and roads, or any of them, as Town ways, as laid out by the Selectmen under laws authorizing assessment of betterments and to raise and appropriate by borrowing or otherwise money for the construction of said public ways, including the cost of pavement and sidewalks laid at the time of construction, and for payment of land damages:

Part of Alvin Avenue from Wood Street 527' Southeasterly
Barton's Lane from Glendale to Fuller's Lane
Part of Crown Street from Public Portion to Decker Street
Dean Road from Pleasant Street to Pine Avenue
Part of Elmwood Avenue from Milton-Quincy Line to Milton-Quincy Line
Part of Franklin Street from Howe Street to Alvin Avenue
Woodward Court from Libby Road 187' Easterly (to be named Saint Agatha Road if accepted)
Part of Victoria Street from Ferncroft Road to Savin Street

and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the Town so vote with respect to the following five streets described in this Article and that the sum of \$56,406.00 be appropriated to be expended for original construction as follows:

Barton's Lane from Glendale Road to Fuller's Lane	\$17,226.00
Dean Road from Pleasant Street to Pine Avenue	14,250.00
Part of Elmwood Avenue from Milton-Quincy Line to Milton- Quincy Line	660.00
Part of Franklin Street from Howe Street to Alvin Avenue	11,520.00
Part of Victoria Street from Ferncroft Road to Savin Street	12,750.00

ARTICLE 52. To see if the Town without the assessment of betterments and without making an appropriation will vote to accept the following streets, or any of them, as Town ways, as laid out by the Selectmen:

Part of Centre Lane from Coolidge Road 890' Northwesterly
Parts of Gerald Road (from Public Portion 407' Southerly) and Lyman Road
(100' Easterly and 110' Westerly from Gerald Road)

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Phyllis Lane from Nancy Road to Gerald Road
Union Avenue from Blue Hill Avenue 330 feet Easterly
Part of Ruggles Lane from School Street 88' Southerly
Part of Saint Agatha Road from Public Portion 86' Northwesterly

and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the Town so vote with respect to all the streets described in this article except that, with respect to the description of St. Agatha Road, the measurement be stated as 786 feet instead of 86 feet to correct a typographical error and to make such measurement conform to the plan on file which was exhibited at the public hearing held on the question of the acceptance of said road.

ARTICLE 53. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to raze the old Glover School building located on School Street and for this purpose to transfer the care, custody, management and control of said building to the Board of Selectmen and authorize the Board of Selectmen to enter into a contract in the name and behalf of the Town for the razing of said building under the terms of which the Selectmen may sell to the contractor or anyone else any part of said building or the equipment contained therein, and to see what sum the Town will appropriate for said razing; and to see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen in the name and behalf of the Town to sell and convey said land, and said building if it is not razed, at public auction or private sale for such minimum sums for said land and said building as the Town Meeting shall determine; and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the Town vote to transfer the care, custody, management and control of the old Glover School Building to the Board of Selectmen; to authorize said Board to raze the same, with the authority to enter into a contract for razing and with authority to sell any part of said building or the equipment therein to any person; that the sum of \$1,200.00 be appropriated for these purposes; and that the Board of Selectmen be and they hereby are authorized in the name and behalf of the Town to sell, transfer and convey at public auction or private sale, all right, title and interest of the Town in and to the parcel of land on which the old Glover School Building is located for the sum of not less than \$4,000.00 and to execute and deliver all necessary instruments in connection therewith.

(Unanimous Vote)

ARTICLE 54. To see if the Town will vote to transfer the care, custody, management and control of the land and the buildings comprising the property known as the Vose School to the Board of Selectmen for the purpose of using the same for municipal offices and other space for activities of Town Departments; and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the Town so vote.

(Unanimous Vote)

ARTICLE 55. To see if the Town will vote to do whatever is necessary to preserve and maintain the building known as the Vose School; to authorize the Moderator to appoint a Committee of five citizens to consider the needs of the Town for office and other space for activities of Town Departments; and to employ architects or engineers or other professional assistance to obtain estimate for the cost of remodeling said Vose School building; and to see what sum or sums of money the Town

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will vote to appropriate for any of the aforesaid purposes; and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the Town vote to convert one of the furnaces in the Vose School building to an oil-burning furnace and to authorize the department in charge of said building to make any other alterations or repairs necessary to preserve the same and to appropriate \$6,500.00 for the foregoing purposes; and to authorize the Moderator to appoint a committee of five citizens to determine in consultation with the Board of Selectmen the need for office and other space for the several departments of the Town, said committee also to determine the extent to which and the manner in which said Vose School building should be renovated and remodeled and used for such space, and said committee is hereby authorized to employ architects or engineers or other professional assistance to enable it to bring in preliminary plans and estimates of the cost of any renovation or remodeling which the committee recommends, said committee to file its report with the Board of Selectmen on or before November 1, 1955, and to report to the next Annual Town Meeting; and to appropriate the sum of \$3,500.00 for the use of said committee.

COMMITTEE

ROBERT K. LAMERE, 15 Wendell Park
FRANK W. CRIMP, 56 Mingo Street
GEORGE P. FANDEL, 165 Hinckley Road
WILLIAM H. FARNUM, 33 Russell Street
JAMES F. FITZGERALD, 1147 Canton Avenue

ARTICLE 56. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Moderator to appoint a committee of three or more members to study in consultation with the Board of Selectmen, the Water Commissioners, the Sewer Commissioners and such other officials of the Town as may be concerned, the needs of the Town for housing and servicing its equipment, and that said committee be authorized to employ architects and engineers to prepare preliminary plans sufficient to obtain estimates of the cost of the building or buildings required and to file their report with the Board of Selectmen on or before December 1, 1955, and to report to the next Annual Town Meeting; and that the sum of \$1,000.00 appropriated under Article 27 of the March 1954 Warrant be made available for the uses of this committee; and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the Committee appointed under Article 55 will also function under Article 56, and that no money be appropriated under Article 56.

ARTICLE 57. To see whether the Town will vote to authorize a project or projects consisting of:

- (i) the construction, original equipping and furnishing of an addition to the police station building which will increase the floor space for the purpose of improving the existing police station and providing additional rooms, entrances to the building, a kitchenette, pistol range, additional cells for prisoners and other new facilities, and
- (ii) to provide for such remodeling, reconstruction and making of extraordinary repairs to said police station building as may be required in connection with said addition;

and vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the foregoing purposes or any

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of them, and determine how said appropriation shall be raised, whether by taxation, by appropriation of unused construction funds or other monies, by borrowing or otherwise, and if by borrowing, to authorize the issuance of obligations of the Town therefor under any applicable provision of law; and in connection with the projects described above, to see if the Town will authorize the Moderator to appoint a committee of five (5) citizens to employ the services of an architect, to advertise and secure bids, to let a contract or contracts, and to supervise the construction and equipping thereof, all in the name and behalf of the Town; and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the Town make no alteration to the Central Police Station.

ARTICLE 58. To see if the Town will vote to amend its General By-laws by striking out Chapter 11 and inserting a new Chapter 11 as follows:

CHAPTER II

Planning Board and Board of Appeals

Section 1. A Planning Board is hereby established under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), Chapter 41, Section 81A (Acts of 1936, Chapter 211) and any amendments thereto, with all the powers and duties therein and in any existing by-laws of the Town provided, to consist of five members to be elected by ballot at the annual Town Meeting in March, 1939, one for a term of one year, one for a term of two years, one for a term of three years, one for a term of four years, and one for a term of five years and thereafter in accordance with the provisions of the statute.

Section 2. The existing Board of Appeals appointed from time to time pursuant to Chapter 7 of the General By-laws (known as the Building Code) shall act as and be the Board of Appeals under Chapter 10 of the General By-laws (known as the Zoning By-law), act as and be the Board of Appeals under General Laws (Ter. Ed.), Chapter 40A and amendments thereto (known as the Zoning Enabling Act), and act as and be the Board of Appeals under General Laws (Ter. Ed.), Chapter 41, Section 81Z and amendments thereto (known as the Subdivision Control Law).

Voted: That the Town amend its General By-laws exactly as stated in this Article.

(Unanimous Vote)

Boston, Mass., May 20, 1955

The foregoing amendment to by-laws is hereby approved.

George Fingold, Attorney General

ARTICLE 59. To see if the Town will vote to amend its General By-laws by striking out in Section I (G) the last three sentences in subparagraph 1 and inserting in place thereof the following:

"From time to time the Moderator may appoint associate members of the board. An associate member of the board need not be an attorney, an architect, a civil engineer, or a master builder, but every associate member shall be a resident of the Town of Milton. Associate members shall be

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appointed for a term of three years. No member shall act in any case in which he is interested, and if a regular member of the board is disqualified for interest or for any reason is unable to act, his place shall be taken by an associate member designated by the chairman of the board, and the associate member so designated shall serve until the completion of any case which he hears. Every decision of the board shall be in writing and shall require the assent of at least two members and shall be a matter of public record."

so that as amended said subparagraph 1 will read as follows:

"(G) BOARD OF APPEALS:

"1. A Board of Appeals is hereby established to consist of three members to be appointed by the Moderator. All the members of the board shall be residents of the Town of Milton. One member shall be an attorney-at-law, and one shall be an architect, civil engineer or master builder. The appointments first made shall be for one, two and three years respectively, so that the term of one member shall expire each year. All subsequent appointments shall be for the term of three years. Vacancies shall be filled by appointment by the Moderator for the unexpired term. From time to time the Moderator may appoint associate members of the board. An associate member of the board need not be an attorney, an architect, a civil engineer, or a master builder, but every associate member shall be a resident of the Town of Milton. Associate members shall be appointed for a term of three years. No member shall act in any case in which he is interested, and if a regular member of the board is disqualified for interest or for any reason is unable to act, his place shall be taken by an associate member designated by the chairman of the board, and the associate member so designated shall serve until the completion of any case which he hears. Every decision of the board shall be in writing and shall require the assent of at least two members (either of whom may be a regular member or an associate member) and shall be a matter of public record."

Voted: That the Town amend its General By-laws exactly as stated in this article.

(Unanimous Vote)

Boston, Mass., May 20, 1955

The foregoing amendment to by-laws is hereby approved.

George Fingold, Attorney General

ARTICLE 60. To see if the Town will vote to amend Chapter 10 of the General By-laws of the Town having to do with zoning as follows:

Proposal 1.

To amend Section I by inserting a new subparagraph, to be numbered 7, as follows:

"7. All references to the time of the adoption of this by-law shall mean February 10, 1938."

Proposal 2.

To amend Section VI. A. 1. by striking out subparagraphs (a), (b) and (c), and inserting in place thereof the following:

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“(a) a lot recorded at the time of the adoption of this by-law or, if not so recorded, if authorized by permit from the Board of Appeals, containing less than 80,000 and more than 64,000 square feet may be divided into lots containing not less than 32,000 square feet each and each having a frontage of not less than 150 feet, and one dwelling may be erected on each such lot, and (b) if a lot recorded at the time of the adoption of this by-law or, if not so recorded, if authorized by permit from the Board of Appeals, contains more than 80,000 square feet and if after division into as many lots as practicable, each containing not less than 40,000 square feet and each having a frontage of not less than 150 feet, there remains a lot of 32,000 square feet or more, one dwelling may be erected on such remaining lot provided that the same has a frontage of not less than 150 feet, and (c) one dwelling may be erected on a lot containing less than 40,000 square feet, or having a frontage of less than 150 feet, if such lot was recorded at the time of the adoption of this by-law, and did not at the time of such adoption adjoin other land of the same owner available for use in connection with said lot. No such adjoining land or any part thereof shall be deemed ‘available for use’ (as that phrase is used in this subsection (c)) if such land is a parcel which was so recorded, on which at the time of such adoption a dwelling existed, and which then contained no more than 40,000 square feet and had a frontage of no more than 150 feet.”

so that said Section VI. A. 1., as amended, will read as follows:

SECTION VI. Area Regulations.

A. Lot Sizes and Frontages.

1. In a Residence A District no dwelling shall be erected or maintained except on lots as hereinbefore defined, or on lots established after this by-law is adopted, as hereinbefore provided, containing not less than 40,000 square feet each and having each a frontage of not less than 150 feet, and not more than one dwelling shall be erected on each such lot except that (a) a lot recorded at the time of the adoption of this by-law or, if not so recorded, if authorized by permit from the Board of Appeals, containing less than 80,000 and more than 64,000 square feet may be divided into lots containing not less than 32,000 square feet each and each having a frontage of not less than 150 feet, and one dwelling may be erected on each such lot, and (b) if a lot recorded at the time of the adoption of this by-law or, if not so recorded, if authorized by permit from the Board of Appeals, contains more than 80,000 square feet and if after division into as many lots as practicable, each containing not less than 40,000 square feet and each having a frontage of not less than 150 feet, there remains a lot of 32,000 square feet or more, one dwelling may be erected on such remaining lot provided that the same has a frontage of not less than 150 feet, and (c) one dwelling may be erected on a lot containing less than 40,000 square feet, or having a frontage of less than 150 feet, if such lot was recorded at the time of the adoption of this by-law, and did not at the time of such adoption adjoin other land of the same owner available for use in connection with said lot. No such adjoining land or any part thereof shall be deemed “available for use” (as that phrase is used in this subsection (c)) if such land is a parcel which was so recorded, on which at the time of such adoption a dwelling existed, and which then contained no more than 40,000 square feet and had a frontage of no more than 150 feet.

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Proposal 3.

To amend Section VI. A. 2. by striking out subparagraphs (a), (b) and (c), and inserting in place thereof the following:

"(a) a lot recorded at the time of the adoption of this by-law or, if not so recorded, if authorized by permit from the Board of Appeals, containing less than 40,000 and more than 32,000 square feet may be divided into lots containing not less than 16,000 square feet each and each having a frontage of not less than 80 feet, and one dwelling may be erected on each such lot, and (b) if a lot recorded at the time of the adoption of this by-law or, if not so recorded, if authorized by permit from the Board of Appeals, contains more than 40,000 square feet and if after division into as many lots as practicable, each containing not less than 20,000 square feet and each having a frontage of not less than 100 feet, there remains a lot of 16,000 square feet or more, one dwelling may be erected on such remaining lot provided that the same has a frontage of not less than 80 feet, and (c) one dwelling may be erected on a lot containing less than 20,000 square feet, or having a frontage of less than 100 feet, if such lot was recorded at the time of the adoption of this by-law, and did not at the time of such adoption adjoin other land of the same owner available for use in connection with said lot. No such adjoining land or any part thereof shall be deemed 'available for use' (as that phrase is used in this subsection (c)) if such land is a parcel which was so recorded, on which at the time of such adoption a dwelling existed, and which then contained no more than 20,000 square feet and had a frontage of no more than 100 feet."

so that said Section VI. A. 2., as amended, will read as follows:

2. In a Residence B District no dwelling shall be erected or maintained except on lots as hereinbefore defined, or on lots established after this by-law is adopted, as hereinafter provided, containing not less than 20,000 square feet each and having each a frontage of not less than 100 feet and not more than one dwelling shall be erected on each such lot except that (a) a lot recorded at the time of the adoption of this by-law or, if not so recorded, if authorized by permit from the Board of Appeals, containing less than 40,000 and more than 32,000 square feet may be divided into lots containing not less than 16,000 square feet each and each having a frontage of not less than 80 feet, and one dwelling may be erected on each such lot, and (b) if a lot recorded at the time of the adoption of this by-law or, if not recorded, if authorized by permit from the Board of Appeals, contains more than 40,000 square feet and if after division into as many lots as practicable, each containing not less than 20,000 square feet and each having a frontage of not less than 100 feet, there remains a lot of 16,000 square feet or more, one dwelling may be erected on such remaining lot provided that the same has a frontage of not less than 80 feet, and (c) one dwelling may be erected on a lot containing less than 20,000 square feet, or having a frontage of less than 100 feet, if such lot was recorded at the time of the adoption of this by-law, and did not at the time of such adoption adjoin other land of the same owner available for use in connection with said lot. No such adjoining land or any part thereof shall be deemed "available for use" (as that phrase is used in this subsection (c)) if such land is a parcel which was so recorded on which at the time of such adoption a dwelling

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existed, and which then contained no more than 20,000 square feet and had a frontage of no more than 100 feet.

Proposal 4.

To amend Section VI. A. 3. by striking out subparagraphs (a), (b) and (c), and inserting in place thereof the following:

"(a) a lot recorded at the time of the adoption of this by-law or, if not so recorded, if authorized by permit from the Board of Appeals, containing less than 15,000 and more than 12,000 square feet may be divided into lots containing not less than 6,000 square feet each and each having a frontage of not less than 60 feet, and one dwelling may be erected on each such lot, and (b) if a lot recorded at the time of the adoption of this by-law or, if not so recorded, if authorized by permit from the Board of Appeals, contains more than 15,000 square feet and if after division into as many lots as practicable, each containing not less than 7,500 square feet and each having a frontage of not less than 75 feet, there remains a lot of 6,000 square feet or more, one dwelling may be erected on such remaining lot provided that the same has a frontage of not less than 60 feet, and (c) one dwelling may be erected on a lot containing less than 7,500 square feet, or having a frontage of less than 75 feet, if such lot was recorded at the time of the adoption of this by-law, and did not at the time of such adoption adjoin other land of the same owner available for use in connection with said lot. No such adjoining land or any part thereof shall be deemed 'available for use' (as that phrase is used in this subsection (c)) if such land is a parcel which was so recorded, on which at the time of such adoption a dwelling existed, and which then contained no more than 7,500 square feet and had a frontage of no more than 75 feet."

so that said Section VI. A. 3., as amended, will read as follows:

3. In a Residence C District no dwellings shall be erected or maintained except on lots as hereinbefore defined, or on lots established after this by-law is adopted, as hereinbefore provided, containing not less than 7,500 square feet each and having each a frontage of not less than 75 feet, and not more than one dwelling shall be erected on each such lot except that (a) a lot recorded at the time of the adoption of this by-law or if not so recorded, if authorized by permit from the Board of Appeals, containing less than 15,000 and more than 12,000 square feet may be divided into lots containing not less than 6,000 square feet each and each having a frontage of not less than 60 feet, and one dwelling may be erected on each such lot, and (b) if a lot recorded at the time of the adoption of this by-law or, if not so recorded, if authorized by permit from the Board of Appeals, contains more than 15,000 square feet and if after division into as many lots as practicable, each containing not less than 7,500 square feet and each having a frontage of not less than 75 feet, there remains a lot of 6,000 square feet or more, one dwelling may be erected on such remaining lot provided that the same has a frontage of not less than 60 feet, and (c) one dwelling may be erected on a lot containing less than 7,500 square feet, or having a frontage of less than 75 feet, if such lot was recorded at the time of the adoption of this by-law, and did not at the time of such adoption adjoin other land of the same owner available for use in connection with said lot. No such adjoining

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land or any part thereof shall be deemed "available for use" (as that phrase is used in this subsection (c)) if such land is a parcel which was so recorded, on which at the time of such adoption a dwelling existed, and which then contained no more than 7,500 square feet and had a frontage of no more than 75 feet.

Proposal 5.

To amend Section VI. C. 4. by striking out in the first line the figure "25" and inserting in place thereof the figure "26"; by inserting before the word "side" the word "any"; by changing the period at the end of said paragraph 4 to a comma; and by adding at the end of said paragraph 4 the following:

"and provided further that where a building is erected less than 10 feet from either side line by virtue of the provisions of this paragraph 4 the buildable width shall not exceed 26 feet."

so that said Section VI. C. 4., as amended, will read as follows:

4. The provisions of this section shall not reduce to less than 26 feet the buildable width of any lot in a Residence A, B or C district recorded at the time this by-law is adopted, provided, however, that no building shall extend within 6 feet of any side lot line, and provided further that where a building is erected less than 10 feet from either side line by virtue of the provisions of this paragraph 4 the buildable width shall not exceed 26 feet.

Proposal 6.

To amend Section VIII. A. by striking out the words "Section 30 of Chapter 40 of the General Laws, as amended." and inserting in place thereof the following:

"General Laws (Ter. Ed.), Chapter 40A, as amended."

so that said Section VIII. A., as amended, will read as follows:

SECTION VIII. Board of Appeals.

A. Appointment.

The Board of Appeals is and shall be the board of appeal appointed from time to time pursuant to Chapter 7 of these by-laws known as the Building Code, and said Board of Appeal under said Building Code is hereby constituted the Board of Appeals pursuant to the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), Chapter 40A, as amended.

Proposal 7.

To amend Section VIII. D. by striking out the words "General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 30, as amended." and inserting in place thereof the following:

"General Laws (Ter. Ed.), Chapter 40A, as amended."

so that said Section VIII. D., as amended, will read as follows:

D. Variance and Appeals.

Appeals from an order or decision of an administrative officer and appeals

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or petitions involving variances from the terms of this by-law shall be dealt with by the Board of Appeals in accordance with the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), Chapter 40A, as amended.

Proposal 8.

To amend Section III. A. 5. by striking out everything in said subsection 5 after the words "Municipal use."

so that said Section III. A. 5., as amended, will read:

5. Municipal use.

Proposal 9.

To amend Section III. B. 1. (f) . by adding at the end thereof after the semi-colon the following:

"provided, however, that such employment is of the type customarily incident to the use of said dwelling;"

so that Section III. B. 1. (f) , as amended, will read as follows:

- (f) Accessory use shall not include dwellings, except that there may be constructed as part of a garage or stable, family living quarters for and to be occupied only by an employee of the owner or occupant of the dwelling to which such garage or stable is an accessory use; provided, however, that such employment is of the type customarily incident to the use of said dwelling;

Proposal 10.

To amend Section III. A. 7. (j) . by striking out in the first line the words "for sale" so that said Section III A. 7. (j) ., as amended, will read as follows:

- (j) Removal of sod, loam, sand, gravel or quarried stone, provided that when such removal is incidental to and in connection with the construction of a building on the premises for which a building permit has been issued in accordance with the building law, or incidental to and in connection with the construction of ways in an approved subdivision, no permit from the Board of Appeals shall be required.

Voted: That the Town amend its General By-laws exactly as stated in this Article.

(Unanimous Vote)

Boston, Mass., May 20, 1955

The foregoing amendments to by-laws are hereby approved.

George Fingold, Attorney General

ARTICLE 61. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Moderator to appoint a committee of three citizens to study, in consultation with the Town Insurance Advisor, the requirements of the Town for public liability and motor vehicle liability insurance coverage; to determine the amounts of such insurance coverage needed by the Town; to submit its recommendations for the best procedures in placing such insurance for the Town; the said committee also to prepare such Articles for the

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Warrant of the 1956 Annual Town Meeting as the committee believes desirable to carry out its recommendations; and to file its report and said Articles with the Board of Selectmen on or before November 1, 1955; and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the Town so vote.

COMMITTEE

WALTER N. KERNAN, Chairman, 642 Brush Hill Road
JOHN T. KEYES, 5 Cary Avenue
LEON CANGIANO, 1303 Canton Avenue

ARTICLE 62. To see if the Town will vote to compensate the City of Boston under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), Chapter 48, Section 59A for hospital, surgical, medical and nursing expenses incurred by Arthur C. Morton, a Fireman of the City of Boston who was injured in Milton while the Boston City Fire Department was giving aid to Milton in extinguishing the fire on Adams Street on November 22, 1953; and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the Town so vote and the the sum of \$311.10 be appropriated for this purpose.

ARTICLE 63. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen in the name and behalf of the Town to sell and convey for the minimum sum of \$10,000.00 a parcel of land situated on the easterly side of Blue Hill Avenue, opposite Concord Avenue, bounded and described substantially as follows:

Beginning at a point on the easterly side of Blue Hill Avenue 117.63 feet north of a Massachusetts Highway bound, said bound being 170.28 feet north of the northerly sideline of Blue Hill Terrace Street and continuing in a northerly direction by the easterly sideline of Blue Hill Avenue 259.91 feet;

Thence running easterly by land now or formerly of the Milton Hebrew Center 330.86 feet;

Thence running southerly by Crown Street and land now or formerly of Clara L. Nolan, et al., 263.43 feet to a stone bound;

Thence running westerly by land now or formerly of Rita A. Meeken, Mulberry Road, land now or formerly of Laurence O. Trombley, et al. and land now or formerly of Robert A. McAuliffe et al., 330.42 feet to the easterly sideline of Blue Hill Avenue and point of beginning;

Containing 1.98 acres more or less;

said parcel being no longer required for public purposes; and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the Town authorize the Board of Selectmen in the name and behalf of the Town to sell and convey at private sale or public auction for a sum of not less than \$10,000.00 all right, title and interest of the Town in and to the parcel of land bounded and described precisely as set forth in this Article and to execute and deliver all necessary instruments in connection therewith.

(Unanimous Vote)

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ARTICLE 64. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to appropriate for the Public Library the present year.

Voted: That the sum of \$78,207.26 be appropriated of which \$52,950.79 is for salaries and wages; \$4,135.00 is for temporary employees; \$307.50 is for replacement of equipment; \$260.97 is for new equipment; \$970.00 is for repairs to roof of Central Library; and \$375.00 is for the necessary expenses of officers and employees of the Department incurred outside the Commonwealth in securing information on matters in which the Town is interested or which may tend to improve the service of the Department.

See ARTICLE 65 after ARTICLE 44 of this Warrant.

ARTICLE 66. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to appropriate for Interest and Maturing Debt the present year:

1. Interest
2. Maturing Debt

Voted: That the following appropriations be made for:

1. Interest\$27,350.00
2. Maturing Debt\$207,500.00

ARTICLE 67. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to appropriate for the Reserve Fund for extraordinary or unforeseen expenditures the current year and to apply from overlay reserve such amount as the Town shall determine to meet in whole or in part such appropriation; and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the sum of \$30,000.00 be appropriated and that to meet said appropriation the sum of \$19,145.49 be raised in the tax levy and the sum of \$10,854.51 be transferred from the Overlay Reserve accumulated as of December 31, 1954.

ARTICLE 68. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to appropriate from available funds on hand January 1, 1955.

Voted: That the Town appropriate the sum of \$280,000.00 from available funds on hand January 1, 1955 for the purpose of deduction by the assessors from the amount required to be assessed in accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 59, Section 23.

And you are directed to warn said inhabitants qualified as aforesaid to meet at the times and places and for the purposes herein mentioned, by posting attested copies of this warrant in each of the post offices of said Town seven days at least before said fifth of March, and leaving printed copies thereof at the dwelling houses of said Town at least four days before said date.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk, on or before said Fifth day of March, next.

Given under our hands at Milton the seventeenth day of February, Nineteen hundred and fifty-five.

SAMUEL C. CRAIG

CHARLES F. BATCHELDER, jr.

DANIEL E. DUGGAN

Selectmen of Milton.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Norfolk, ss.

March 1, 1955

Pursuant to the within warrant, I have notified the inhabitants of the Town of Milton as within directed to meet at the times and places and for the purposes therein mentioned by posting attested copies of the same in the post offices of the Town and leaving attested copies at the dwellings of the inhabitants.

(signed) RICHARD F. CHAMBERLAIN,
Constable of Milton.

March 19, 1955

4:17 P.M.

Voted: That the meeting be dissolved.

The foregoing meeting was opened Saturday, March 5, 1955 at 8:00 A.M. by the wardens in the several precincts.

TERESA SHAUGHNESSY,
Town Clerk.

April 13, 1955

In accordance with the by-laws, the Moderator appointed Blake G. Cruckshank of 31 Waldo Road to succeed himself for a term of three years as a member of the Board of Appeal.

May 24, 1955

Acting under the By-laws of the Town, the Moderator appoints the following Warrant Committee for the current year:

FRANCIS BROOKS, 134 Adams Street
BLAKE G. CRUCKSHANK, 31 Waldo Road
NOEL DEERING, 38 Emerson Road
ROGER H. MARTIN, 1238 Canton Avenue
WALTER J. MURPHY, 5 Augusta Road
OWEN J. MCGARRAHAN, 387 Adams Street
ERIC PIERCE, 216 Randolph Avenue
WILLIAM PURSELL, 35 Truro Lane
MRS. JOHN J. REDDY, 449 Pleasant Street
C. MELBOURNE ROWBOTHAM, 42 Hillside Road
JOHN J. RYAN, 16 Lantern Lane
EDWARD L. SAWYER, 1580 Canton Avenue
JOSEPH A. TANSEY, 99 Thacher Street
HOWARD S. WHITESIDE, 93 Hillside Street
MRS. CONGER WILLIAMS, 20 Brush Hill Lane

Mr. Brooks is asked to call the committee together for organization.

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RECORD OF ATTENDANCE OF TOWN MEETING MEMBERS

The following (x) were present:

Town Meetings Held	March	March
	12	19

PRECINCT 1

BEALE, ELLOIT L.	31 Lothrop Avenue	x	....	x
BURNETT, WILLIAM C.	250 Blue Hill Avenue	x	....	x
CARROLL, FORREST W.	47 Blue Hill Terrace Street ..	x	....	x
COLE, MURRAY D.	23 Craig Street	x	....	x
COLLINS, DESMOND M.	125 Blue Hills Parkway	x	....	x
COLLINS, GEORGE W.	3 Brook Road	x	....	x
CROSBY, WILLIAM H.	376 Brush Hill Road	x	....	x
CULLEN, THOMAS A.	17 Belvoir Road	x	....	x
DONAHUE, ANDREW J., JR.	79 Victoria Street	x	....
ERICKSON, ERNEST E.	5 Verndale Road	x	....	x
FABIAN, MARGARET H.	40 Blue Hill Terrace Street ..	x	....	x
GRANT, JOHN J.	128 Blue Hill Avenue	x	....	x
GRANT, JOHN L.	128 Blue Hill Avenue	x	....	x
HALLIDAY, HAROLD S.	82 Blue Hill Avenue	x	....	x
HEFLER, GERARDINE M.	79 Smith Road	x	....	x
HOWES, ROBERT W.	31 Cheever Street	x	....	x
JOHNSON, PAUL R.	46 Hudson Street	x	....	x
KINGSBURY, NORMAN E.	623 Blue Hills Parkway	x	....	x
LEARY, EDWARD J.	35 Belvoir Road	x	....	x
MAHONEY, JEREMIAH J.	61 Oak Street	x	....	x
MALONEY, JAMES J., SR.	198 Brush Hill Road	x	....	x
MANNING, PHILIP V.	967 Canton Avenue	x	....	x
McFAGUE, JESSIE N.	119 Blue Hills Parkway	x	....	x
McKINNON, ALBERT J.	79 Robbins Street	x	....	x
McLEAN, HOWARD M.	28 Cheever Street	x	....	x
McNAUGHTON, PAUL R.	271 Blue Hills Parkway	x	....	x
McTAGGART, BERNARD E.	53 Churchill Street	x	....	x
MURPHY, WILLIAM M.	97 Decker Street	x	....	x
MYERS, EVERETT C.	7 Pagoda Street	x	....	x
PEVERLY, RUSSELL E.	137 Robbins Street	x	....	x
STRONGE, ROGER W.	120 Smith Road	x	....	x
TAYLOR, WALTER W.	62 Oak Street	x	....	x
TREAT, GEORGE A.	67 Concord Avenue	x	....	x
TUTTLE, BERTHA E.	10 Cheever Street	x	....
VAN GESTAL, HENDRICK W.	68 Cheever Street	x	....
VARNERIN, LAWRENCE J.	155 Robbins Street	x	....	x
VOGEL, JOSEPH N.	37 Lothrop Avenue	x	....	x
WATSON, GUSSIE H.	66 Brush Hill Road	x	....	x
WHITTIER, CLYDE L.	24 Blue Hill Avenue	x	....	x
WILLIAMS, PRESTON R.	62 Brush Hill Road	x	x
WOODS, JOHN O.	45 Concord Avenue	x	x

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March 12 March 19

PRECINCT 2

ADAMS, FRED A.	24 Willoughby Road	x	x
AMES, KNIGHT	241 Canton Avenue	x	x
BLACKBURN, ARTHUR H.	470 Eliot Street	x	....	x
BROWN, BURTON G., JR.	7 Laurel Road	x	....	x
COWPERTHWAIT, IRVING A.	10 Willoughby Road	x	....	x
CROSBY, WILLIAM B.	30 Hinckley Road	x	....	x
CURLEY, GEORGE T.	510 Eliot Street	x	....	x
CYPHERS, JAMES F.	75 Hinckley Road	x	....	x
DONNELL, ALFRED J.	46 Dyer Avenue	x	....	x
DRAPER, COPELAND M.	112 Allerton Road	x	....	x
DRAPER, MILDRED H.	112 Allerton Road	x	....	x
FITZGERALD, JOHN F., JR.	38 Windsor Road	x	....	x
GALLAGHER, THOMAS J.	431 Eliot Street	x	....	x
HAIN, ANDREW	24 Hinckley Road	x	....	x
HARRINGTON, BYRNE	570 Eliot Street	x	....	x
HILL, GLADYS L.	15 Fairfax Road	x	....	x
HURD, G. NEWELL	8 Ruggles Lane	x	....	x
HURD, GEORGE NEWELL, JR.	189 Canton Avenue	x	....	x
KIMBALL, MARY LEE EVANS	137 Hinckley Road	x	....	x
MacGAREGILL, STANLEY C.	17 Briarfield Road	x	....	x
MAHONEY, JOSEPH C.	9 Columbine Road	x	....	x
McDERMOTT, FRANCIS P.	17 Byrne Road	x	....	x
McLAUGHLIN, JAMES E.	43 Briarfield Road	x	....
NEWCOMB, CHARLES F.	34 Willoughby Road	x	....
O'CALLAGHAN, FRANK J., JR.	11 Fairfax Road	x	....	x
O'NEILL, EDWARD T.	91 Allerton Road	x	....	x
O'NEILL, JAMES J.	18 West Street	x	....	x
PATTERSON, HOWARD S.	42 Norway Road	x	....	x
TURNER, EVERETT L.	34 Cliff Road	x	....	x
WALLACE, RICHARD A.	45 Thacher Street	x	....	x
WEISSE, MARGARET C.	223 Central Avenue	x	....
WHITE, ANNE E.	5 Norway Road	x	....	x
WHITE, WILLIAM H.	142 Blue Hills Parkway	x	....	x

PRECINCT 3

BAKER, EDWIN O.	104 Canton Avenue	x	....	x
BATCHELDER, CHARLES F., jr.	71 Valley Road	x	....	x
BENNETT, SAMUEL C.	36 Westside Road	x	....	x
BREMER, JOHN L. II	242 Canton Avenue	x	....	x
BROOKS, FRANCIS F.	134 Adams Street	x	....	x
BRYANT, MARY L.	149 Randolph Avenue	x	....	x
BURGIN, C. RODGERS	138 Central Avenue	x	....	x
BYERS, RANDOLPH K.	277 Adams Street	x	....	x
CANON, GEORGE A., JR.	11 Capen Street	x	....	x
CROCKER, SETH C.	184 School Street	x	....	x
CRUCKSHANK, BLAKE G.	31 Waldo Road	x	....	x
DARLING, NEWTON P.	23 Russell Street	x	....	x
deMILLE, WILFRED P.	157 School Street	x	....	x

MARCH MEETING

		Town Meetings Held	
		March	March
		12	19
DUDLEY, PAUL F.	185 School Street	x	x
ESHLEMAN, FRANK M.	84 Columbine Road	x	x
EVANS, DWIGHT D.	40 Canton Avenue	x	x
FARNHAM, WILLIAM H.	33 Russell Street	x	
FASCH, CLIFTON L.	29 Oak Road	x	x
FREDERICK, FRANK B.	45 Morton Road	x	x
GATES, CHARLES I.	43 Valley Road	x	x
HADLOCK, RUSSELL S.	115 Canton Avenue	x	x
HAUSSERMANN, OSCAR W.	42 Dudley Lane	x	x
HOWLAND, ALICE F.	144 Randolph Avenue	x	x
JENKINS, EVERETT H.	60 Columbine Road	x	x
JONES, THEODORE S.	88 Columbine Road	x	x
KING, HERVEY W.	120 Central Avenue	x	
LUTHER, C. FISHER	65 Morton Road	x	
MARDEN, S. FRANCES	66 Morton Road	x	x
MORRIS, SARAH G.	179 School Street	x	x
MURDOCK, WARREN J.	16 Allen Circle	x	x
PALMER, HENRY W.	59 Randolph Avenue	x	x
PIERCE, NORMAN	150 School Street	x	x
ROGERSON, JOHN E.	114 Canton Avenue	x	x
SWIFT, H. M. STEEL	64 Canton Avenue	x	x
TRUMBULL, JAMES C.	76 Canton Avenue	x	x
VICKERSON, HERBERT G.	306 Eliot Street	x	x
WATSON, HENRY R., JR.	29 Canton Avenue	x	x
WATSON, PAUL B., JR.	210 Randolph Avenue	x	x

PRECINCT 4

ANDERSON, ROGER B.	38 Magnolia Road	x	x
BAKER, NEWTON S.	54 Fairbanks Road	x	x
BALLARD, JAMES F.	17 Dyer Avenue	x	x
CAMPBELL, GEORGE L.	37 Wendell Park	x	x
CAPPERS, MURRAY A.	36 Wendell Park	x	x
CONNOLLY, JOSEPH	372 Blue Hills Parkway	x	x
CREEDON, JOHN F.	188 Thacher Street	x	x
CROSBY, GILBERT S.	116 Dyer Avenue	x	x
DUNPHY, JAMES T.	402 Blue Hills Parkway	x	x
FARRELL, EDWARD J.	96 Warren Avenue	x	x
FARRINGTON, WILLIAM F.	112 Dyer Avenue	x	x
GARRITY, JOSEPH P.	2A Fairlawn Avenue	x	x
GIBBONS, THOMAS M.	61 Warren Avenue	x	x
HIBBARD, CHARLES L., JR.	49 Walnut Street	x	x
HINEY, FRANCIS J., JR.	37 Bonad Road	x	x
KEDDY, JAMES P.	39 Winthrop Street	x	x
KLEHM, WILLIAM L.	128 Gulliver Street	x	x
MANNING, WILLIAM P.	133 Gulliver Street	x	x
MARSHALL, ERNESTINE M.	85 Houston Avenue	x	
MARTINELLI, JOHN B.	131 Clapp Street	x	x
MATHEWSON, STEPHEN G.	47 Warren Avenue	x	x
McGEE, ANNE L.	2 Bonad Road	x	x

MARCH MEETING

Town Meetings Held
March 12 March 19

McGEE, EDNA L.	2 Bonad Road	x	....	x
McGEE, JAMES J.	2 Bonad Road	x	....	x
McPEAKE, PAUL V.	60 Fairbanks Road	x		
MELVIN, HAROLD W.	44 Houston Avenue	x	....	x
MULLEN, WILLIAM W.	180 Thacher Street	x	....	x
NAZZARO, C. JOHN	456 Central Avenue	x	....	x
NORIS, JEREMIAH J.	101 Clapp Street	x	....	x
PEINERT, FREDERIC R.	114 Audubon Road	x	....	x
PETERSON, WALTER F.	60 Walnut Street	x	....	x
POW, FREDERICK C.	26 Meagher Avenue	x	....	x
SHAUGHNESSY, TERESA	39 Houston Avenue	x	....	x
THOMPSON, CHARLES M., JR.	368 Blue Hills Parkway	x	....	x

PRECINCT 5

ABELL, HOWARD	143 Centre Street	x	....	x
ALEXANDER, BENJAMIN F.	143 Woodland Doad	x	....	x
BARTON, RICHARD M.	202 Churchills Lane	x	....	x
BATTING, KENNETH M.	4 Lindberg Road	x	....	x
CALDERWOOD, CHRISTINE T.	270 Hillside Street	x	....	x
CAMPBELL, JAMES F.	308 Hillside Street			x
CAMPBELL, MALCOLM D.	214 Highland Street	x		
CAPPERS, FRANK W., JR.	40 Lyman Road	x	....	x
CARLSON, HARRY E.	166 Nahanton Avenue	x	....	x
CAROTA, RUTH F.	510 Randolph Avenue	x	....	x
CLUETT, ELEANOR L.	267 Hillside Street	x	....	x
CRAIG, CHARLES E.	25 Mathaurs Lane	x	....	x
CRONIN, GEORGE J.	19 Lantern Lane	x	....	x
CRONIN, JOSEPH M.	30 Thompson Lane	x	....	x
CURLEY, JOHN M.	85 Meredith Circle	x	....	x
DEVENS, CHARLES	703 Brush Hill Road	x	....	x
DRAPER, C. MITCHELL, JR.	237 Hillside Street	x	....	x
DYSON, EDWARD	1122 Canton Avenue	x	....	x
EDWARDS, TERESA P.	202 Reedsdale Road	x	....	x
FIELD, SPENCER	348 Centre Street	x	....	x
FOLSOM, OWEN E.	31 Frothingham Street	x		
FORBES, HILDEGARDE B.	71 Forest Street	x	....	x
HAINES, CRAIG B.	6 Lantern Lane	x	....	x
HAMILTON, EDWARD P.	145 Dudley Lane	x	....	x
HEMENWAY, JOHN T.	40 Green Street	x		
JACKSON, DONALD M.	164 Pleasant Street	x	....	x
JAQUES, BENJAMIN F.	216 Highland Street	x	....	x
JENSON, JOHN W.	56 Holmes Lane	x	....	x
JOHNSON, EDWARD C. II	1196 Canton Avenue	x	....	x
LELAND, JOSEPH D.	823 Brush Hill Road	x	....	x
LUNT, IRVING G.	12 Coolidge Road	x	....	x
MARSHALL, FRED Y.	30 Hills View Road	x	....	x
MARTIN, ROGER H.	1238 Canton Avenue	x	....	x
McSHARRY, THOMAS P.	319 Reedsdale Road	x	....	x
MEREDITH, IRVING	67 Martin Road	x		

MARCH MEETING

		Town Meetings Held	
		March	March
		12	19
MOORE, JOHN B.	27 Thompson Lane	x	x
MURRAY, A. RUTH	12 Spafford Road	x	x
PERRY, RICHARD	303 Hillside Street	x	x
PORTER, EARLE F.	21 Mingo Street	x	x
RANDLETT, A. DOUGLAS	26 Thompson Lane	x	x
ROBBINS, WALTER S.	135 Milton Street	x	x
RYAN, JOHN J., JR.	16 Lantern Lane	x	x
SCHMIDT, RICHARD H.	25 Spafford Road	x	x
SCOTT, DAVID T.	41 Meredith Circle		x
SHELDON, JOHN E.	1253 Canton Avenue	x	x
WEBB, PARKER	36 Spafford Road	x	x
WENDELL, EDWARD E.	1384 Canton Avenue	x	x
WHITESIDE, HOWARD S.	93 Hillside Street	x	x
WILLIAMS, JAMES A.	1006 Canton Avenue	x	x
WITHINGTON, PAUL R.	350 Randolph Avenue	x	
WOLCOTT, SAMUEL H., JR.	1726 Canton Avenue	x	x

PRECINCT 6

ARMITAGE, G. NELSON	115 Otis Street	x	x
BATES, FRANCIS C.	453 Adams Street	x	x
BELL, TILTON S.	7 Webster Road	x	x
BENT, WILLIAM E.	31 McKinnon Avenue	x	
BOWIE, JOHN H.	18 Webster Road	x	x
BOWIE, ROBERT	42 Webster Road	x	x
CALDWELL, WILLIAM L.	16 Andrews Road	x	x
CAMERON, DONALD F.	80 Cary Avenue	x	x
COLEMAN, HAROLD F.	111 Otis Street	x	x
COLLINS, CHARLES F.	205 Edge Hill Road	x	
DUGGAN, MARY A.	15 St. Agatha Road	x	x
DUNLAP, WILLARD F.	584 Pleasant Street	x	
GOOSTRAY, JOSEPH	1233 Brook Road	x	x
GRAY, ROLAND, JR.	300 Adams Street	x	x
GUNNING, THOMAS S., JR.	1093 Brook Road	x	x
HALEY, FRANCIS T.	45 Waldeck Road	x	x
HAMMOND, CHRISTOPHER G.	21 Otis Street	x	x
HARKINS, FRANCIS J.	21 Chesterfield Road	x	
HARRIS, LEROY S.	300 Edge Hill Road	x	
HINDS, HARRIETTE F.	52 Hollis Street	x	x
HINDS, RAY A.	52 Hollis Street	x	x
HOXIE, WILLIAM C.	7 Westbourne Street	x	x
KEYES, JOHN T.	5 Cary Avenue	x	x
LAKE, EDWARD P.	22 Glendale Road	x	x
LORD, NATHANIEL C.	401 Adams Street	x	x
LYNN, FRANK C., JR.	22 Murray Avenue	x	
MATHIEU, LOUIS J.	25 Chesterfield Road	x	x
MCCORMICK, HARRY B.	521 Pleasant Street	x	x
MCGONIGLE, JOHN J.	27 St. Agatha Road	x	x
MERSCH, HENRY E., JR.	21 Waldeck Road	x	x
MILLER, HERBERT H.	365 Pleasant Street	x	x

MARCH MEETING

		Town Meetings Held	
		March 12	March 19
MORGAN, DOROTHY T.	290 Edge Hill Road	x	x
MOULTON, GEORGE F.	95 Plymouth Avenue	x	x
MOULTON, GEORGE F., JR.	95 Plymouth Avenue	x	x
MOULTON, ROY E.	53 Cary Avenue	x	x
MURPHY, WALTER J.	4 Augusta Road	x	x
OCHS, PAUL F.	47 Rowe Street	x	x
O'DONNELL, CHARLES H.	17 Webster Road	x	x
PIERCE, RUTH E.	297 Adams Street	x	x
POTTER, ALAN J.	11 Century Lane	x	x
REDDY, JOHN J.	449 Pleasant Street	x	x
ROWE, CARLETON A.	454 Adams Street	x	x
SALZGEBER, GUSTAVE A.	63 Plymouth Avenue	x	x
SNYDER, FREDERICK D.	262 Edge Hill Road	x	x
SWAN, ALFRED C.	10 Brae Burn Road	x	x
WALTERS, FRANCES H.	55 Rowe Street	x	x

PRECINCT 7

ABEL, ALEXANDER J.	105 Washington Street	x	x
BLAKE, ROBERT J., JR.	14 Church Street	x	x
BUSH, HERBERT L.	107 Church Street	x	
CARTER, FARQUHAR D.	31 Granite Place	x	x
CHOATE, GEORGE F.	6 Martin Terrace	x	
CLAPP, LEIGHTON A.	147 Church Street	x	x
COGHLAN, EDWARD M.	11 Bates Road	x	
CONDON, JOHN	300 Granite Avenue	x	
CONLY, WALTER W.	39 Howe Street	x	x
COUGHLIN, ALICE J.	74 Courtland Circle	x	x
COUPER, SIDNEY M.	124 Wood Street	x	x
COVENEY, CHANNING R.	18 Victory Avenue	x	
CURRIER, WALTER E.	51 Granite Place	x	x
DEERING, NOEL W.	38 Emerson Road	x	x
DUFFY, CHARLES F.	35 Granite Place	x	x
DUGGAN, DANIEL E.	3 Martin Terrace	x	x
DUGGAN, DANIEL E., JR.	4 Pierce Street	x	x
ESAU, WILLIAM S.	46 Grafton Avenue	x	
FANNING, BRENDAN E.	31 State Street	x	x
FANNING, FRANK P.	31 State Street	x	x
FINERTY, EDWARD J.	45 Wood Street	x	x
FOSTER, ROBERT E.	18 Pierce Street	x	
FUSONI, JOSEPH A.	60 Pierce Street	x	x
GIOIOSA, ANNAMAY M.	11 Church Street	x	x
GLENNON, RICHARD M.	63 Granite Place	x	x
GUSTAFSON, WILLIAM C.	10 Antwerp Street	x	x
HODGES, EDWARD T. Q.	39 Church Street	x	x
HOLLIDGE, DAVID E.	96 Granite Place	x	x
HOXIE, CHARLES B.	61 Washington Street	x	x
LAMERE, ROBERT K.	549 Adams Street	x	x
LYONS, JOHN P.	20 Antwerp Street	x	x
MALLOY, THOMAS C.	20 Pine Grove Street	x	x

MARCH MEETING

		Town Meetings Held	
		March 12	March 19
MANNING, M. JOSEPH, JR.	583 Adams Street	x	x
McCORMACK, SAMUEL F.	25 Sheldon Street	x	
MORISSETTE, GEORGE E.	34 Grafton Avenue	x	x
PAOLUCCI, VIRGINIUS	18 Pilgrim Road	x	
ROEMER, HARRY E.	24 Church Street	x	x
SHEPPARD, P. BRADFORD	37 Wood Street	x	x
WATSON, DUNCAN A.	38 Pierce Street	x	x
WHITE, JOHN F.	644 Adams Street	x	x
WOOD, ALBERT	290 Granite Avenue	x	x
WOOD, HORACE	141 Church Street	x	

The following Town Meeting Members were absent at both meetings:

PRECINCT 1

DENNIS, WALTER A.	70 Blue Hill Avenue
KNIGHT, PAUL W.	14 Belvoir Road
PRIESTLY, JOHN W.	43 Brook Road
THOMSON, ROBERT M.	40 Concord Avenue

PRECINCT 2

WOOD, ROBERT D.	8 Kahler Avenue
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PRECINCT 4

GRAZIANI, JOSEPH G., JR.	46 Houston Avenue
MARCY, RALPH W.	86 Wendell Park
REID, HELEN J.	33 Harold Street

PRECINCT 5

FITZGERALD, JAMES F.	1147 Canton Avenue
SWIFT, ROBERT W., JR.	704 Brush Hill Road
SWIFT, RUSSELL	435 Highland Street

PRECINCT 6

RYAN, TIMOTHY G.	26 Hillcrest Road
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PRECINCT 7

WATSON, DONALD J.	38 Pierce Street
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MAY SPECIAL MEETING



MAY SPECIAL MEETING

May 24, 1955

WARRANT

Commonwealth of Massachusetts }
County of Norfolk } ss.

To any of the Constables of the Town of Milton in said County: GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Milton, qualified to vote in Town affairs to meet at the Town Hall in said Milton on Tuesday, the twenty-fourth day of May next, at eight o'clock in the evening, then and there to act upon the following Articles, to wit:

ARTICLE 1. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to appropriate to provide for the balance of 1955 for an increase in compensation of the officers and employees of the Town, including in the School Department only clerical employees, custodians and mechanics, including in the Fire and Police Departments only those employees who did not receive increases in compensation under Article 16 of the 1955 Annual Town Meeting, and excluding elected officers of the Town; and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: To provide increases in the compensation of certain officers and employees of the Town in accordance with the provisions of this Article, the same to be in addition to the amounts appropriated at the last Annual Town Meeting, and for said purpose to appropriate the amounts set against the respective designations in the list of Town Departments hereinafter set forth. Said increases of salaries and wages shall be for the period from May 24, 1955 to December 31, 1955 inclusive and shall be at the rate of \$300 per annum for each individual in full time employment with a just proportionate part of said amount available for each individual in part-time employment. Payments of said increases shall be subject to the approval of the Boards and Heads of Departments as required by law, and may be made at the same rate in January, February and part of March 1956 in accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 13.

MAY SPECIAL MEETING

Department	Amount
Accounting	\$ 417.54
Assessors	550.41
Building	390.02
Cemetery	2,522.71
Disposal Area	229.47
Engineering	1,467.86
Election and Registration	154.62
Fire (only clerical assistant to Chief)	183.47
Forestry	1,834.70
Health	275.21
Highway	8,439.62
Law	91.74
Library	2,972.23
Park	550.41
Police (only clerical assistant to Chief and mechanic)	366.94
School (only clerical employees, custodians and mechanics)	5,069.09
Sealer of Weights and Measures	91.74
Selectmen	366.94
Sewer	1,341.99
Town Clerk	366.94
Town Hall and Lot	550.41
Treasurer-Collector	624.01
Warrant Committee	61.16
Welfare	934.60
Wire	917.35
	\$30,771.08
Water	4,797.98

(Unanimous Vote)

ARTICLE 2. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Moderator to appoint a committee of citizens of the Town to make a study of the powers available to the Town under the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 41, Sections 108A and 108C, which Sections provide for job classification plans, minimum and maximum salaries, step rate increases, a Personnel Board and similar matters, and to report whether it is desirable for the Town to adopt any by-laws as authorized by said Sections, and if so, to include in their report proposals for the provisions of any such by-laws; said committee to report to the Warrant Committee and the Board of Selectmen on or before November 1, 1955, and to the 1956 Annual Town Meeting; and to appropriate money for the use of said committee; and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the Moderator be authorized to appoint a committee of five citizens of this Town, said committee to have the powers, duties and obligations stated in this Article; and that the sum of \$100 be appropriated for the use of said committee.

COMMITTEE

MR. NEWTON S. BAKER, 54 Fairbanks Road
 MR. JOSEPH C. AFFANATO, 34 Rowe Street
 MR. MURRAY D. COLE, 23 Craig Street
 MR. MALCOLM PERKINS, 54 Bradlee Road
 MR. WARREN A. STEBBINS, 37 Lantern Lane

MAY SPECIAL MEETING

ARTICLE 3. To see if the Town will vote to amend its General By-laws by inserting new provisions to establish a School Traffic Control Unit; and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: To amend the General By-laws of the Town by inserting a new Chapter after Chapter 6 to be numbered Chapter 6A and entitled "School Traffic Control", said Chapter 6A to read as follows:

"CHAPTER 6A

SCHOOL TRAFFIC CONTROL

Section 1. There shall be a School Traffic Control Unit in the Police Department consisting of not less than five nor more than twelve female Special Police Officers appointed by the Board of Selectmen to serve at the pleasure of the Board. The duties of such special police officers shall be supervised by and be under the direction of the Chief of Police.

Section 2. Special Police Officers appointed under this Chapter shall be designated as School Traffic Supervisors and shall have all the power and authority of regular police officers in the enforcement of Chapter 90 of the General Laws and Acts and amendments thereof and in addition thereto, and of all other laws and of the By-laws of the Town relating to the operation, standing or use of vehicles."

(Unanimous Vote)

Boston, Mass., June 20, 1955

The foregoing amendment to by-laws is hereby approved.

George Fingold, Attorney General

ARTICLE 4. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to appropriate to provide for School Traffic Supervisors; and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: To appropriate the sum of \$2,463.75 for School Traffic Supervisors, of which \$1,443.75 shall be for salaries and wages and \$1,020.00 shall be for uniforms.

And you are directed to warn said inhabitants qualified as aforesaid to meet at the time and place and for the purposes herein mentioned by posting attested copies of this warrant in each of the post offices of said Town seven days at least before said twenty-fourth of May, and leaving printed copies thereof at the dwelling houses in said Town at least four days before said date.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk, on or before said twenty-fourth of May, next.

Given under our hands at Milton the twelfth day of May, Nineteen hundred and fifty-five.

/s/ DANIEL E. DUGGAN

/s/ CHARLES F. BATCHELDER, jr.

/s/ WILLIAM H. WHITE

Selectmen of Milton.

MAY SPECIAL MEETING

Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Norfolk ss.

May 16, 1955

Pursuant to the within warrant, I have notified the inhabitants of the Town of Milton as within directed to meet at the time and place and for the purposes therein mentioned by posting attested copies of the same in the post offices of the Town and leaving attested copies at the dwellings of the inhabitants.

/s/ RICHARD F. CHAMBERLAIN,
Constable of Milton.

The foregoing meeting was called to order at 8:00 P.M. on May 24, 1955 by the Moderator, Benjamin F. Jaques. All business taken care of the meeting was dissolved at 8:24 P.M.

TERESA SHAUGHNESSY,
Town Clerk.

MAY SPECIAL MEETING

RECORD OF ATTENDANCE OF TOWN MEETING

MEMBERS AT SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

May 24, 1955

The following Members were present:

PRECINCT 1

BEALE, ELLIOT L.	31 Lothrop Avenue
BURNETT, WILLIAM C.	250 Blue Hill Avenue
CARROLL, FORREST W.	47 Blue Hill Terrace
COLE, MURRAY D.	23 Craig Street
COLLINS, DESMOND M.	125 Blue Hills Parkway
CROSBY, WILLIAM H.	376 Brush Hill Road
CULLEN, THOMAS A.	17 Belvoir Road
DONAHUE, ANDREW J., JR.	79 Victoria Street
ERICKSON, ERNEST E.	5 Verndale Road
GRANT, JOHN J.	128 Blue Hill Avenue
GRANT, JOHN L.	128 Blue Hill Avenue
HALLIDAY, HAROLD S.	82 Blue Hill Avenue
HEFLER, GERARDINE M.	79 Smith Road
HOWES, ROBERT W.	31 Cheever Street
JOHNSON, PAUL R.	46 Hudson Street
KINGSBURY, NORMAN E.	623 Blue Hills Parkway
KNIGHT, PAUL W.	14 Belvoir Road
LEARY, EDWARD J.	35 Belvoir Road
MAHONEY, JEREMIAH J.	61 Oak Street
MALONEY, JAMES J., SR.	198 Brush Hill Road
MANNING, PHILIP V.	967 Canton Avenue
McFAGUE, JESSIE N.	119 Blue Hills Parkway
McKINNON, ALBERT J.	79 Robbins Street
McLEAN, HOWARD M.	28 Cheever Street
MYERS, EVERETT C.	7 Pagoda Street
PEVERLY, RUSSELL E.	137 Robbins Street
STRONGE, ROGER W.	120 Smith Road
TAYLOR, WALTER W.	62 Oak Street
THOMSON, ROBERT M.	40 Concord Avenue
VAN GESTEL, HENDRICK W.	68 Cheever Street
VARNERIN, LAWRENCE J.	155 Robbins Street
VOGEL, JOSEPH N.	37 Lothrop Avenue
WHITTIER, CLYDE L.	24 Blue Hill Avenue
WILLIAMS, PRESTON R.	62 Brush Hill Road
WOODS, JOHN O.	45 Concord Avenue

PRECINCT 2

ADAMS, FRED A.	24 Willoughby Road
AMES, KNIGHT	241 Canton Avenue
BROWN, BURTON G., JR.	7 Laurel Road
COWPERTHWAITTE, IRVING A.	10 Willoughby Road
CROSBY, WILLIAM B.	30 Hinckley Road

MAY SPECIAL MEETING

CURLEY, GEORGE T.	510 Eliot Street
DONNELL, ALFRED J.	46 Dyer Avenue
DRAPER, COPELAND M.	112 Allerton Road
DRAPER, MILDRED H.	112 Allerton Road
FITZGERALD, JOHN F., JR.	38 Windsor Road
HAIN, ANDREW	24 Hinckley Road
HARRINGTON, BYRNE	570 Eliot Street
HURD, GEORGE NEWELL, JR.	189 Canton Avenue
KIMBALL, MARY LEE EVANS	137 Hinckley Road
MACGAREGILL, STANLEY C.	17 Briarfield Road
MAHONEY, JOSEPH C.	9 Columbine Road
MCDERMOTT, FRANCIS P.	17 Byrne Road
MCLAUGHLIN, JAMES E.	43 Briarfield Road
O'CALLAGHAN, FRANK J., JR.	11 Fairfax Road
O'NEILL, EDWARD T.	91 Allerton Road
O'NEILL, JAMES J.	18 West Street
PATTERSON, HOWARD S.	42 Norway Road
TURNER, EVERETT L.	34 Cliff Road
WALLACE, RICHARD A.	45 Thacher Street
WEISSE, MARGARET C.	223 Central Avenue
WHITE, ANNE E.	5 Norway Road
WHITE, WILLIAM H.	142 Blue Hills Parkway
WOOD, ROBERT D.	8 Kahler Avenue

PRECINCT 3

BAKER, EDWIN O.	104 Canton Avenue
BATCHELDER, CHARLES F., jr.	71 Valley Road
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MARDEN, S. FRANCES	66 Morton Road
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MAY SPECIAL MEETING

MURDOCK, WARREN J.	16 Allen Circle
PALMER, HENRY W.	59 Randolph Avenue
PIERCE, NORMAN ..	150 School Street
ROGERSON, JOHN E.	114 Canton Avenue
SWIFT, H. M. STEEL	64 Canton Avenue
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FARRELL, EDWARD J.	96 Warren Avenue
FARRINGTON, WILLIAM F.	112 Dyer Avenue
GARRITY, JOSEPH P.	2A Fairlawn Avenue
GIBBONS, THOHAS M.	61 Warren Avenue
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KLEHM, WILLIAM L.	128 Gulliver Street
MANNING, WILLIAM P.	133 Gulliver Street
MARCY, RALPH W.	86 Wendell Park
MARTINELLI, JOHN B.	131 Clapp Street
MATHEWSON, STEPHEN G.	47 Warren Avenue
McGEE, ANNE L.	2 Bonad Road
McGEE, EDNA L.	2 Bonad Road
McGEE, JAMES J.	2 Bonad Road
McPEAKE, PAUL V.	60 Fairbanks Road
MULLEN, WILLIAM W.	180 Thacher Street
NAZZARO, C. JOHN	456 Central Avenue
NORIS, JEREMIAH J.	101 Clapp Street
PEINERT, FREDERIC R.	114 Audubon Road
PETERSON, WALTER F.	60 Walnut Street
REID, HELEN J.	33 Harold Street
SHAUGHNESSY, TERESA	39 Houston Avenue

PRECINCT 5

ABELL, HOWARD	143 Centre Street
ALEXANDER, BENJAMIN R.	143 Woodland Road
BARTON, RICHARD M.	202 Churchill Lane
BATTING, KENNETH M.	4 Lindbergh Road
CALDERWOOD, CHRISTINE T.	270 Hillside Street
CAMPBELL, JAMES F.	308 Hillside Street
CAMPBELL, MALCOLM D.	214 Highland Street
CAPPERS, FRANK W., JR.	40 Lyman Road
CARLSON, HARRY E.	166 Nahanton Avenue
CAROTA, RUTH F.	510 Randolph Avenue
CLUETT, ELEANOR L.	267 Hillside Street

MAY SPECIAL MEETING

CRAIG, CHARLES E.	25 Mathaurs Street
CRONIN, GEORGE J.	19 Lantern Lane
CRONIN, JOSEPH M.	30 Thompson Lane
DEVENS, CHARLES	703 Brush Hill Road
DRAPER, G. MITCHELL, JR.	237 Hillside Street
DYSON, EDWARD	1122 Canton Avenue
EDWARDS, TERESA P.	202 Reedsdale Road
FIELD, SPENCER	348 Centre Street
FOLSOM, OWEN E.	31 Frothingham Street
FORBES, HILDEGARDE B.	71 Forest Street
HAINES, CRAIG B.	6 Lantern Lane
HAMILTON, EDWARD P.	145 Dudley Lane
JACKSON, DONALD M.	164 Pleasant Street
JAQUES, BENJAMIN F.	246 Highland Street
JENSEN, JOMN W.	56 Holmes Lane
LUNT, IRVING G.	12 Coolidge Road
MARSHALL, FRED Y.	30 Hills View Road
MARTIN, ROGER H.	1238 Canton Avenue
McSHARRY, THOMAS P.	319 Reedsdale Road
MOORE, JOHN B.	27 Thompson Lane
MURRAY, A. RUTH	12 Spafford Road
PERRY, RICHARD	303 Hillside Street
PORTER, EARLE F.	21 Mingo Street
RANDLETT, A. DOUGLASS	26 Thompson Lane
RYAN, JOHN J., JR.	16 Lantern Lane
SCOTT, DAVID T.	41 Meredith Circle
SHELDON, JOHN E.	1253 Canton Avenue
SWIFT, RUSSELL	435 Highland Street
WENDELL, EDWARD E.	1384 Canton Avenue
WHITESIDE, HOWARD S.	93 Hillside Street
WILLIAMS, JAMES A.	1006 Canton Avenue
WITHINGTON, PAUL R.	350 Randolph Avenue

PRECINCT 6

BATES, FRANCIS C.	453 Adams Street
BELL, TILTON S.	7 Webster Road
BOWIE, JOHN H.	18 Webster Road
BOWIE, ROBERT	42 Webster Road
CALDWELL, WILLIAM L.	16 Andrews Road
COLEMAN, HAROLD F.	111 Otis Street
COLLINS, CHARLES F.	205 Edge Hill Road
DUGGAN, MARY A.	15 St. Agatha Road
DUNLAP, WILLARD F.	584 Pleasant Street
GOOSTRAY, JOSEPH	1233 Brook Road
GRAY, ROLAND, JR.	300 Adams Street
GUNNING, THOMAS S., JR.	1093 Brook Road
HALEY, FRANCIS T.	45 Waldeck Road
HAMMOND, CHRISTOPHER G.	21 Otis Street
HINDS, HARRIETTE F.	52 Hollis Street
HINDS, RAY A.	52 Hollis Street
HOXIE, WILLIAM C.	7 Westbourne Street
KEYES, JOHN T.	5 Cary Avenue
LAKE, EDWARD P.	22 Glendale Road

MAY SPECIAL MEETING

LORD, NATHANIEL C.	401 Adams Street
LYNN, FRANK G., JR.	22 Murray Avenue
MATHIEU, LOUIS J.	25 Chesterfield Road
McGONIGLE, JOHN J.	27 St. Agatha Road
MERSCH, HENRY E., JR.	21 Waldeck Road
MILLER, HERBERT H.	365 Pleasant Street
MORGAN, DOROTHY T.	290 Edge Hill Road
MOULTON, GEORGE F.	95 Plymouth Avenue
MOULTON, GEORGE F., JR.	95 Plymouth Avenue
MURPHY, WALTER J.	4 Augusta Road
OCHS, PAUL F.	47 Rowe Street
O'DONNELL, CHARLES H.	17 Webster Road
PIERCE, RUTH E.	297 Adams Street
POTTER, ALAN J.	11 Century Lane
REDDY, JOHN J.	449 Pleasant Street
ROWE, CARLETON A.	454 Adams Street
RYAN, TIMOTHY G.	26 Hillcrest Road
SALZGEBER, GUSTAVE A.	63 Plymouth Avenue
SWAN, ALFRED C.	10 Brae Burn Road
WALTERS, FRANCES H.	55 Rowe Street

PRECINCT 7

ABEL, ALEXANDER J.	105 Washington Street
BLAKE, ROBERT J., JR.	14 Church Street
CHOATE, GEORGE F.	6 Martin Terrace
CLAPP, LEIGHTON A.	147 Church Street
COGHLAN, EDWARD M.	11 Bates Road
CONDON, JOHN F.	300 Granite Avenue
CONLY, WALTER W.	39 Howe Street
COUGHLIN, ALICE J.	74 Courtland Circle
CURRIER, WALTER E.	51 Granite Place
DEERING, NOEL W.	38 Emerson Road
DUFFY, CHARLES F.	35 Granite Place
DUGGAN, DANIEL E.	3 Martin Terrace
DUGGAN, DANIEL E., JR.	4 Pierce Street
FANNING, BRENDAN E.	31 State Street
FANNING, FRANK P.	31 State Street
FUSONI, JOSEPH A.	60 Pierce Street
GIOIOSA, ANNAMAY M.	11 Church Street
GUSTAFSON, WILLIAM C.	10 Antwerp Street
HODGES, EDWARD T. Q.	39 Church Street
HOLLIDGE, DAVID E.	96 Granite Place
HOXIE, CHARLES B.	61 Washington Street
LAMERE, ROBERT K.	549 Adams Street
MALLOY, THOMAS C.	20 Pine Grove Street
MANNING, M. JOSEPH., JR.	583 Adams Street
MORISSETTE, GEORGE E.	34 Grafton Avenue
ROEMER, HARRY E.	24 Church Street
SHEPPARD, P. BRADFORD	37 Wood Street
WATSON, DUNCAN A.	38 Pierce Street
WHITE, JOHN F.	644 Adams Street
WOOD, ALBERT	290 Granite Avenue
WOOD, HORACE	141 Church Street

MAY SPECIAL MEETING

The following Town Meeting Members were absent on May 24, 1955:

PRECINCT 1

COLLINS, GEORGE W.	3 Brook Road
DENNIS, WALTER A.	70 Blue Hill Avenue
FABIAN, MARGARET H.	40 Blue Hill Terrace Street
McNAUGHTON, PAUL R.	271 Blue Hills Parkway
McTAGGART, BERNARD E.	53 Churchill Street
MURPHY, WILLIAM M.	97 Decker Street
PRIESTLEY, JOHN W.	43 Brook Road
TREAT, GEORGE A.	67 Concord Avenue
TUTTLE, BERTHA E.	10 Cheever Street
WATSON, GUSSIE H.	66 Brush Hill Road

PRECINCT 2

BLACKBURN, ARTHUR H.	470 Eliot Street
CYPHERS, JAMES F.	75 Hinckley Road
GALLAGHER, THOMAS J.	431 Eliot Street
HILL, GLADYS L.	15 Fairfax Road
HURD, G. NEWELL	8 Ruggles Lane
NEWCOMB, CHARLES F.	34 Willoughby Road

PRECINCT 3

GATES, CHARLES I.	43 Valley Road
WATSON, HENRY R., JR.	29 Canton Avenue

PRECINCT 4

CONNOLLY, JOSEPH	372 Blue Hills Parkway
GRAZIANI, JOSEPH G., JR.	46 Houston Avenue
HINEY, FRANCIS J., JR.	37 Bonad Road
MARSHALL, ERNESTINE M.	85 Houston Avenue
MELVIN, HAROLD W.	44 Houston Avenue
POW, FREDERICK C.	26 Meagher Avenue
THOMPSON, CHARLES M., JR.	368 Blue Hills Parkway

PRECINCT 5

CURLEY, JOHN M.	85 Meredith Circle
FITZGERALD, JAMES F.	1147 Canton Avenue
HEMENWAY, JOHN T.	40 Green Street
JOHNSON, EDWARD C., 2nd	1196 Canton Avenue
LELAND, JOSEPH D.	823 Brush Hill Road
MEREDITH, IRVING	67 Martin Road
ROBBINS, WALTER S.	135 Milton Street
SCHMIDT, RICHARD H.	25 Spafford Road
SWIFT, ROBERT W., JR.	704 Brush Hill Road
WEBB, PARKER	36 Spafford Road
WOLCOTT, SAMUEL H., JR.	1726 Canton Avenue

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PRECINCT 6

ARMITAGE, G. NELSON	115 Otis Street
BENT, WILLIAM E.	31 McKinnon Avenue
CAMERON, DONALD F.	80 Cary Avenue
HARKINS, FRANCIS J.	21 Chesterfield Road
HARRIS, LEROY S.	300 Edge Hill Road
McCORMICK, HARRY B.	521 Pleasant Street
MOULTON, ROY E.	53 Cary Avenue
SNYDER, FREDERICK D.	262 Edge Hill Road

PRECINCT 7

BUSH, HERBERT L.	107 Church Street
CARTER, FARQUHAR D.	31 Granite Place
COUPER, SIDNEY M.	124 Wood Street
COVENEY, CHANNING R.	18 Victory Avenue
ESAU, WILLIAM S.	93 Bryant Avenue
FINERTY, EDWARD J.	45 Wood Street
FOSTER, ROBERT E.	18 Pierce Street
GLENNON, RICHARD M.	63 Granite Place
LYONS, JOHN P.	16 Antwerp Street
McCORMACK, SAMUEL F.	25 Sheldon Street
PAOLUCCI, VIRGINIUS	18 Pilgrim Road
WATSON, DONALD J.	38 Pierce Street

OCTOBER SPECIAL MEETING



OCTOBER SPECIAL MEETING

October 17, 1955

WARRANT

Pursuant to the warrant issued by the Selectmen on September 29, 1955, the inhabitants of the Town of Milton, qualified to vote in Town affairs, met at the Town Hall in said Milton on Monday, October 17, 1955. The meeting was called to order by the Moderator, Benjamin F. Jaques, at eight P.M.

ARTICLE 1. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen in the name and behalf of the Town to enter into an agreement with the Commonwealth of Massachusetts as authorized by General Laws, Chapter 91, Section 29, as amended, under the terms of which the Town will assume liability for all damages to property suffered by any person by any taking of land or of any right, interest, or easement therein made by the Commonwealth through the Department of Public Works in connection with the improvement, development, maintenance, and protection of Pine Tree Brook in the Town of Milton; and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the Town so vote.

ARTICLE 2. To see what sum of money the town will appropriate and pay to the Treasurer of the Commonwealth in addition to the amounts heretofore appropriated under General Laws, Chapter 91, Section 29, as amended, for the improvement of Pine Tree Brook; and to act on anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the Town appropriate the sum of \$50,000.00 for the improvement of Pine Tree Brook by the Commonwealth, so much or all of said sum to be paid to the Treasurer of the Commonwealth as may be necessary to reimburse the Commonwealth for one-half of the cost of work done by the Commonwealth in the improvement of Pine Tree Brook under General Laws, Chapter 91, Section 11.

And you are directed to warn said inhabitants qualified as aforesaid to meet at the time and place and for the purposes herein mentioned by posting attested copies of this warrant in each of the post offices of said Town seven days before said seventeenth of October, and leaving printed copies thereof at the dwelling houses in said Town at least four days before said date.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk, on or before said seventeenth of October, next.

OCTOBER SPECIAL MEETING

Given under our hands at Milton the twenty-ninth day of September, Nineteen hundred and Fifty-five.

DANIEL E. DUGGAN
CHARLES F. BATCHELDER, jr.
WILLIAM H. WHITE

Selectmen of Milton.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts, County of Norfolk ss.

October 11, 1955

Pursuant to the within warrant, I have notified the inhabitants of the Town of Milton as within directed to meet at the times and places and for the purposes therein mentioned by posting attested copies of the same in the post offices of the Town and leaving attested copies at the dwellings of the inhabitants.

JOHN E. WHEARTY,
Constable of Milton.

The meeting was dissolved at 8:08 P.M.

TERESA SHAUGHNESSY,
Town Clerk.

OCTOBER SPECIAL MEETING

RECORD OF ATTENDANCE OF TOWN MEETING MEMBERS AT SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

October 17, 1955

The following list of Town Meeting Members is published in accordance with the vote passed under Article 58 of the Warrant for the Annual Town Meeting held March 12, 1949.

		Present	Absent
PRECINCT 1			
BEALE, ELLIOT L	31 Lothrop Avenue		x
BURNETT, WILLIAM C.	250 Blue Hill Avenue	x	
CARROLL, FORREST W.	47 Blue Hill Terrace	x	
COLE, MURRAY D.	23 Craig Street	x	
COLLINS, DESMOND M.	125 Blue Hills Parkway	x	
COLLINS, GEORGE W.	3 Brook Road	x	
CROSBY, WILLIAM H.	376 Brush Hill Road	x	
CULLEN, THOMAS A.	17 Belvoir Road	x	
DENNIS, WALTER A.	70 Blue Hill Avenue	x	
DONAHUE, ANDREW J., JR.	79 Victoria Street	x	
ERICKSON, ERNEST E.	5 Verndale Road	x	
FABIAN, MARGARET H.	40 Blue Hill Terrace		x
GRANT, JOHN J.	128 Blue Hill Avenue	x	
GRANT, JOHN L.	128 Blue Hill Avenue	x	
HALLIDAY, HAROLD S.	82 Blue Hills Avenue	x	
HEFLER, GERARDINE M.	79 Smith Road	x	
HOWES, ROBERT W.	31 Cheever Street	x	
JOHNSON, PAUL R.	46 Hudson Street	x	
KINGSBURY, NORMAN E.	623 Blue Hills Parkway	x	
KNIGHT, PAUL W.	14 Belvoir Road	x	
LEARY, EDWARD J.	35 Belvoir Road		x
MAHONEY, JEREMIAH J.	61 Oak Street	x	
MALONEY, JAMES J., SR.	198 Brush Hill Road	x	
MANNING, PHILIP V.	967 Canton Avenue		x
McFAGUE, JESSIE N.	119 Blue Hills Parkway	x	
McKINNON, ALBERT J.	79 Robbins Street	x	
McLEAN, HOWARD M.	28 Cheever Street	x	
McNAUGHTON, PAUL R.	271 Blue Hills Parkway		x
McTAGGART, BERNARD E.	53 Churchill Street		x
MURPHY, WILLIAM M.	97 Decker Street	x	
MYERS, EVERETT C.	7 Pagoda Street	x	
PEVERLY, RUSSELL E.	137 Robbins Street	x	
PRIESTLEY, JOHN W.	43 Brook Road		x
STRONGE, ROGER W.	120 Smith Road		x
TAYLOR, WALTER W.	62 Oak Street	x	
THOMSON, ROBERT M.	40 Concord Avenue	x	
TREAT, GEORGE A.	67 Concord Avenue		x
TUTTLE, BERTHA E.	10 Cheever Street	x	
VAN GESTEL, HENDRICK W.	68 Cheever Street		x
VARNERIN, LAWRENCE J.	155 Robbins Street	x	

OCTOBER SPECIAL MEETING

Present Absent

VOGEL, JOSEPH N.	37 Lothrop Avenue	x	
WATSON, GUSSIE H.	66 Brush Hill Road		x
WHITTIER, CLYDE L.	24 Blue Hill Avenue		x
WILLIAMS, PRESTON R.	62 Brush Hill Road		x
WOODS, JOHN O.	45 Concord Avenue		x

PRECINCT 2

ADAMS, FRED A.	24 Willoughby Road	x	
AMES, KNIGHT	241 Canton Avenue	x	
BLACKBURN, ARTHUR H.	470 Eliot Street	x	
BROWN, BURTON G., JR.	7 Laurel Road	x	
COWPERTHWAITTE, IRVING A.	10 Willoughby Road	x	
CROSBY, WILLIAM B.	30 Hinckley Road	x	
CURLEY, GEORGE T.	510 Eliot Street	x	
CYPHERS, JAMES F.	75 Hinckley Road		x
DONNELL, ALFRED J.	46 Dyer Avenue	x	
DRAPER, COPELAND M.	112 Allerton Road	x	
DRAPER, MILDRED H.	112 Allerton Road	x	
FITZGERALD, JOHN F., JR.	38 Windsor Road	x	
GALLAGHER, THOMAS J.	431 Eliot Street	x	
HAIN, ANDREW	24 Hinckley Road	x	
HARRINGTON, BYRNE	570 Eliot Street	x	
HILL, GLADYS L.	15 Fairfax Road	x	
HURD, GEORGE NEWELL, JR.	189 Canton Avenue	x	
HURD, G. NEWELL	8 Ruggles Lane	x	
KIMBALL, MARY LEE EVANS	137 Hinckley Road	x	
MacGAREGILL, STANLEY C.	17 Briarfield Road	x	
MAHONEY, JOSEPH C.	9 Columbine Road	x	
McDERMOTT, FRANCIS P.	17 Byrne Road		x
McLAUGHLIN, JAMES E.	43 Briarfield Road	x	
NEWCOMB, CHARLES F.	34 Willoughby Road		x
O'CALLAGHAN, FRANK J., JR.	11 Fairfax Road	x	
O'NEILL, EDWARD T.	91 Allerton Road	x	
O'NEILL, JAMES J.	18 West Street	x	
PATTERSON, HOWARD S.	42 Norway Road		x
TURNER, EVERETT L.	34 Cliff Road		x
WALLACE, RICHARD A.	45 Thacher Street	x	
WEISSE, MARGARET C.	223 Central Avenue	x	
WHITE, ANNE E.	5 Norway Road	x	
WHITE, WILLIAM H.	142 Blue Hills Parkway	x	
WOOD, ROBERT D.	8 Kahler Avenue	x	

PRECINCT 3

BAKER, EDWIN O.	104 Canton Avenue	x	
BATCHELDER, CHARLES F., jr.	71 Valley Road	x	
BREMER, JOHN L. II	242 Canton Avenue	x	
BROOKS, FRANCIS F.	134 Adams Street	x	
BRYANT, MARY L.	149 Randolph Avenue	x	
BURGIN, C. RODGERS	138 Central Avenue		x
BYERS, RANDOLPH K.	277 Adams Street	x	
CANON, GEORGE A., JR.	11 Capen Street	x	

OCTOBER SPECIAL MEETING

		Present	Absent
CROCKER, SETH C.	184 School Street	x	
CRUCKSHANK, BLAKE G.	31 Waldo Road	x	
DARLING, NEWTON P.	23 Russell Street	x	
DEMILLE, WILFRED P.	187 Randolph Avenue	x	
DUDLEY, PAUL F.	185 School Street	x	
ESHLEMAN, FRANK M.	84 Columbine Road	x	
EVANS, DWIGHT D.	40 Canton Avenue	x	
FARNHAM, WILLIAM H.	33 Russell Street	x	
FASCH, CLIFTON L.	29 Oak Road	x	
FREDERICK, FRANK B.	45 Morton Road	x	
GATES, CHARLES I.	43 Valley Road	x	
HADLOCK, RUSSELL S.	115 Canton Avenue	x	
HAUSSERMANN, OSCAR W.	42 Dudley Lane		x
HOWLAND, ALICE F.	144 Randolph Avenue		x
JENKINS, EVERETT H.	60 Columbine Road		x
JONES, THEODORE S.	88 Columbine Road	x	
KING, HERVEY W.	120 Central Avenue	x	
LUTHER, C. FISHER	65 Morton Road	x	
MARDEN, S. FRANCES	66 Morton Road	x	
MORRIS, SARAH G.	179 School Street	x	
MURDOCK, WARREN J.	16 Allen Circle	x	
PALMER, HENRY W.	59 Randolph Avenue		x
PIERCE, NORMAN	150 School Street	x	
ROGERSON, JOHN E.	114 Canton Avenue	x	
SWIFT, H. M. STEEL	64 Canton Avenue	x	
TRUMBULL, JAMES C.	76 Canton Avenue	x	
VICKERSON, HERBERT G.	306 Eliot Street	x	
WATSON, HENRY R., JR.	29 Canton Avenue	x	
WATSON, PAUL B., JR.	210 Randolph Avenue	x	

PRECINCT 4

ANDERSON, ROGER B.	38 Magnolia Road	x	
BAKER, NEWTON S.	54 Fairbanks Road	x	
CAMPBELL, GEORGE L.	37 Wendell Park	x	
CAPPERS, MURRAY A.	36 Wendell Park	x	
CONNOLLY, JOSEPH	372 Blue Hills Parkway		x
CREEDON, JOHN F.	188 Thacher Street		x
CROSBY, GILBERT S.	116 Dyer Avenue	x	
DUNPHY, JAMES T.	402 Blue Hills Parkway		x
FARRELL, EDWARD J.	96 Warren Avenue	x	
FARRINGTON, WILLIAM F.	112 Dyer Avenue	x	
GARRITY, JOSEPH P.	2A Fairlawn Avenue	x	
GIBBONS, THOMAS M.	61 Warren Avenue	x	
GRAZIANI, JOSEPH G., JR.	46 Houston Avenue		x
HIBBARD, CHARLES L., JR.	49 Walnut Street		x
HINEY, FRANCIS J., JR.	37 Bonad Road	x	
KEDDY, JAMES P.	39 Winthrop Street	x	
KLEHM, WILLIAM L.	128 Gulliver Street	x	
MANNING, WILLIAM P.	133 Gulliver Street	x	
MARCY, RALPH W.	86 Wendell Park	x	
MARSHALL, ERNESTINE M.	85 Houston Avenue		x

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		Present	Absent
MARTINELLI, JOHN B.	131 Clapp Street	x	
MATHEWSON, STEPHEN G.	47 Warren Avenue	x	
McGEE, ANNE L.	2 Bonad Road	x	
McGEE, EDNA L.	2 Bonad Road	x	
McGEE, JAMES J.	2 Bonad Road	x	
McPEAKE, PAUL V.	60 Fairbanks Road		x
MELVIN, HAROLD W.	44 Houston Avenue	x	
MULLEN, WILLIAM W.	180 Thacher Street	x	
NAZZARO, C. JOHN	456 Central Avenue	x	
NORIS, JEREMIAH J.	101 Clapp Street	x	
PEINERT, FREDERIC R.	114 Audubon Road	x	
PETERSON, WALTER F.	60 Walnut Street	x	
POW, FREDERICK C.	26 Meagher Avenue	x	
REID, HELEN J.	33 Harold Street		x
SHAUGHNESSY, TERESA	39 Houston Avenue	x	
THOMPSON, CHARLES M., JR.	368 Blue Hills Parkway	x	

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ABELL, HOWARD	143 Centre Street	x	
ALEXANDER, BENJAMIN R.	143 Woodland Road	x	
BARTON, RICHARD M.	202 Churchills Lane	x	
BATTING, KENNETH M.	4 Lindbergh Road	x	
CALDERWOOD, CHRISTINE T.	270 Hillside Street	x	
CAMPBELL, JAMES F.	308 Hillside Street	x	
CAMPBELL, MALCOLM D.	214 Highland Street	x	
CAPPERS, FRANK W., JR.	40 Lyman Road	x	
CARLSON, HARRY E.	166 Nahanton Avenue		x
CAROTA, RUTH F.	510 Randolph Avenue	x	
CLUETT, ELEANOR L.	267 Hillside Street	x	
CRAIG, CHARLES E.	25 Mathaurs Street		x
CRONIN, GEORGE J.	19 Lantern Lane	x	
CRONIN, JOSEPH M.	30 Thompson Lane	x	
CURLEY, JOHN M.	85 Meredith Circle	x	
DEVENS, CHARLES	703 Brush Hill Road		x
DRAPER, C. MITCHELL, JR.	237 Hillside Avenue	x	
DYSON, EDWARD	1122 Canton Avenue		x
EDWARDS, TERESA P.	202 Reedsdale Road	x	
FIELD, SPENCER	348 Centre Street	x	
FITZGERALD, JAMES F.	1147 Canton Avenue		x
FOLSOM, OWEN E.	31 Frothingham Street	x	
FORBES, HILDEGARDE B.	71 Forest Street	x	
HAINES, CRAIG B.	6 Lantern Lane	x	
HAMILTON, EDWARD P.	145 Dudley Lane	x	
HEMENWAY, JOHN T.	40 Green Street	x	
JACKSON, DONALD M.	164 Pleasant Street		x
JAQUES, BENJAMIN F.	246 Highland Street	x	
JENSEN, JOHN W.	56 Holmes Lane		x
JOHNSON, EDWARD C. 2nd	1196 Canton Avenue		x
LELAND, JOSEPH D.	823 Brush Hill Road	x	
LUNT, IRVING G.	12 Coolidge Road	x	
MARSHALL, FRED Y.	30 Hills View Road	x	

OCTOBER SPECIAL MEETING

		Present	Absent
MARTIN, ROGER H.	1238 Canton Avenue	x	
McSHARRY, THOMAS P.	319 Reedsdale Road	x	
MEREDITH, IRVING	67 Martin Road	x	
MOORE, JOHN B.	27 Thompson Lane	x	
MURRAY, A. RUTH	12 Spafford Road	x	
PERRY, RICHARD	303 Hillside Street	x	
PORTER, EARLE F.	21 Mingo Street		x
RANDLETT, A. DOUGLASS	26 Thompson Lane	x	
ROBBINS, WALTER S.	135 Milton Street		x
RYAN, JOHN J., JR.	16 Lantern Lane	x	
SCHMIDT, RICHARD H.	25 Spafford Road	x	
SCOTT, DAVID T.	41 Meredith Circle	x	
SHELDON, JOHN E.	1253 Canton Avenue	x	
SWIFT, ROBERT W., JR.	704 Brush Hill Road	x	
SWIFT, RUSSELL	435 Highland Street		x
WEBB, PARKER	36 Spafford Road	x	
WENDELL, EDWARD E.	1384 Canton Avenue	x	
WHITESIDE, HOWARD S.	93 Hillside Street	x	
WILLIAMS, JAMES A.	1006 Canton Avenue		x
WITHINGTON, PAUL R.	350 Randolph Avenue	x	
WOLCOTT, SAMUEL H., JR.	1726 Canton Avenue		x

PRECINCT 6

BATES, FRANCIS C	453 Adams Street		x
BELL, TILTON S.	7 Webster Road	x	
BENT, WILLIAM E.	31 McKinnon Avenue	x	
BOWIE, JOHN H.	18 Webster Road		x
BOWIE, ROBERT	42 Webster Road	x	
CALDWELL, WILLIAM L.	16 Andrews Road	x	
CAMERON, DONALD F.	80 Cary Avenue		x
COLLINS, CHARLES F.	205 Edge Hill Road	x	
DUGGAN, MARY A.	15 St. Agatha Road		x
DUNLAP, WILLARD F.	584 Pleasant Street	x	
GOOSTRAY, JOSEPH	1233 Brook Road		x
GRAY, ROLAND, JR.	300 Adams Street	x	
GUNNING, THOMAS S., JR.	1093 Brook Road	x	
HALEY, FRANCIS T.	45 Waldeck Road		x
HAMMOND, CHRISTOPHER G.	21 Otis Street		x
HARKINS, FRANCIS J.	21 Chesterfield Road	x	
HARRIS, LEROY S.	300 Edge Hill Road		x
HINDS, HARRIETTE F.	52 Hollis Street	x	
HINDS, RAY A.	52 Hollis Street	x	
HOXIE, WILLIAM C.	7 Westbourne Street		x
KEYES, JOHN T.	5 Cary Avenue	x	
LAKE, EDWARD P.	22 Glendale Road	x	
LORD, NATHANIEL C.	401 Adams Street	x	
LYNN, FRANK G., JR.	22 Murray Avenue		x
MATHIEU, LOUIS J.	25 Chesterfield Road	x	
McCORMICK, HARRY B.	521 Pleasant Street	x	
McGONIGLE, JOHN J.	27 St. Agatha Road	x	
MERSCH, HENRY E., JR.	21 Waldeck Road		x

OCTOBER SPECIAL MEETING

		Present	Absent
MILLER, HERBERT H.	365 Pleasant Street	x	
MORGAN, DOROTHY T.	290 Edge Hill Road		x
MOULTON, GEORGE F.	95 Plymouth Avenue	x	
MOULTON, ROY E.	53 Cary Avnue		x
MURPHY, WALTER J.	4 Augusta Road	x	
OCHS, PAUL F.	47 Rowe Street	x	
O'DONNELL, CHARLES H.	17 Webster Road	x	
PIERCE, RUTH E.	297 Adams Street		x
POTTER, ALAN J.	11 Century Lane	x	
REDDY, JOHN J.	449 Pleasant Street		x
ROWE, CARLETON A.	454 Adams Street		x
RYAN, TIMOTHY G.	26 Hillcrest Road	x	
SALZGEBER, GUSTAVE A.	63 Plymouth Avenue		x
SNYDER, FREDERICK D.	262 Edge Hill Road		x
SWAN, ALFRED C.	10 Brae Burn Road	x	
WALTERS, FRANCES H.	55 Rowe Street	x	

PRECINCT 7

ABEL, ALEXANDER J.	105 Washington Street		x
BLAKE, ROBERT J., JR.	14 Church Street	x	
BUSH, HERBERT L.	107 Church Street		x
CARTER, FARQUHAR D.	31 Granite Place		x
CHOATE, GEORGE F.	6 Martin Terrace	x	
CLAPP, LEIGHTON A.	147 Church Street		x
COGHLAN, EDWARD M.	11 Bates Road		x
CONDON, JOHN F.	300 Granite Avenue		x
CONLY, WALTER W.	39 Howe Street		x
COUGHLIN, ALICE J.	74 Courtland Circle		x
COUPER, SIDNEY M.	124 Wood Street	x	
COVENEY, CHANNING R.	18 Victory Avenue	x	
CURRIER, WALTER E.	51 Granite Place		x
DEERING, NOEL W.	38 Emerson Road	x	
DUFFY, CHARLES F.	35 Granite Place	x	
DUGGAN, DANIEL E.	3 Martin Terrace	x	
DUGGAN, DANIEL E., JR.	4 Pierce Street	x	
ESAU, WILLIAM S.	46 Grafton Avenue		x
FANNING, BRENDAN E.	31 State Street	x	
FANNING, FRANK P.	31 State Street	x	
FINERTY, EDWARD J.	45 Wood Street	x	
FOSTER, ROBERT E.	18 Pierce Street		x
FUSONI, JOSEPH A.	60 Pierce Street		x
GIOTOSA, ANNAMAY M.	11 Church Street	x	
GLENNON, RICHARD M.	63 Granite Place		x
GUSTAFSON, WILLIAM C.	10 Antwerp Street	x	
HODGES, EDWARD T. Q.	39 Church Street	x	
HOLLIDGE, DAVID E.	96 Granite Place		x
HOXIE, CHARLES B.	61 Washington Street	x	
LYONS, JOHN P.	20 Antwerp Street		x
MALLOY, THOMAS C.	20 Pine Grove Street		x
MANNING, M. JOSEPH, JR.	583 Adams Street	x	
MCCORMACK, SAMUEL F.	25 Sheldon Street	x	

OCTOBER SPECIAL MEETING

		Present	Absent
MORISSETTE, GEORGE E.	34 Grafton Avenue	x	
PAOLUCCI, VIRGINIUS	18 Pilgrim Road		x
ROEMER, HARRY E.	24 Church Street	x	
SHEPPARD, P. BRADFORD	37 Wood Street	x	
WATSON, DONALD J.	38 Pierce Street		x
WATSON, DUNCAN A.	38 Pierce Street	x	
WHITE, JOHN F.	644 Adams Avenue	x	
WOOD, ALBERT	290 Granite Avenue	x	
WOOD, HORACE	141 Church Street	x	

TERESA SHAUGHNESSY,
Town Clerk

TOWN OFFICERS SWORN

ACCEPTANCE OF TOWN OFFICERS, 1955

- Mar. 23 Edward E. Wendell, Auxiliary Fireman
Apr. 11 Clifton L. Fasch, Art Commissioner
May 3 Frank B. Frederick, Town Counsel and Legislative Counsel

SWORN IN OFFICERS FOR 1955

- Jan. 6 Fred P. Carlson, Deputy Building Inspector until May 1, 1955
7 John M. Hannigan, Deputy Plumbing Inspector until May 1, 1955
7 Lorenzo E. Young, Plumbing Inspector until May 1, 1955
14 Fred E. Whelan, Forest Warden
28 Arthur L. Noris, Special Police Officer at Cunningham Park
- Mar. 7 M. Dorothy Cahill, Deputy Tax Collector
7 William C. Hoxie, Assessor
7 Daniel E. Duggan, Selectman
7 William H. White, Selectman
7 Clyde L. Whittier, Collector-Treasurer
7 Ernest E. Erickson, Water Commissioner
7 Gordon W. Swan, School Committee member
7 Harry E. Carlson, School Committee member
8 Charles F. Batchelder, jr., Selectman
8 Oliver S. Sughrue, member of Board of Public Welfare
8 James A. Aicardi, Park Commissioner
9 Thomas H. Bilodeau, member Board of Health
10 Dr. G. Philip Grabfield, member Board of Health
11 Martha M. Taber, Secretary to Board of Selectmen
11 Martha M. Taber, Veterans' Agent
11 Martha M. Taber, Burial Agent
11 M. Gertrude Reid, Assistant Secretary to Board of Selectmen
11 Roger P. Sangster, Superintendent, Town Hall and Thacher Building
11 Alexander E. Manning, Town Engineer
11 Marshall R. MacMillan, Inspector of Wires
12 Richard Schmidt, Fence Viewer
12 Benjamin F. Jaques, Moderator
12 Teresa Shaughnessy, Town Clerk
14 John T. Rockwood, Ins. Adv., Agent Ind. Accident Board and Rep. to confer with N. E. Ins. Exchange.
14 Mrs. Roderick Stebbins, Agent Peabody Fund
14 Herbert Strong, Auxiliary Fireman
14 Thomas J. Moore, Registrar
14 Josephine M. McAteer, Town Accountant
14 James Perry Thurber, Sewer Commissioner
14 James J. Maloney, Jr., Superintendent of Streets
14 M. Joseph Manning, Jr., Auxiliary Fireman
15 William J. Malone, Auxiliary Fireman
15 Harry J. Malone, Auxiliary Fireman
16 William J. Cashman, Constable
19 John J. Moore, Library Trustee, one year
19 Knight Ames, Library Trustee, three years
21 William T. Dowling, Auxiliary Fireman

TOWN OFFICERS SWORN

- 21 Walter A. Dennis, bonded Constable
- 23 Richard F. Chamberlain, Constable

- Apr. 11 Marion L. Lake, Assistant Town Clerk
- 14 Ray A. Hinds, member Planning Board
- 25 Ann Hefler, Inspector of Animals; Slaughterer of Animals

- May 2 Laurence W. Pickard, Auxiliary Fireman
- 5 George P. Blenkhorn, Building Inspector
- 6 Fred P. Carlson, Deputy Building Inspector until May 1, 1956
- 10 Bertha M. Johnson, Assistant Assessor (terminated 9/20/55)
- 10 Ruth A. Dodd, Assistant Assessor (terminated 9/20/55)
- 10 Lorenzo E. Young, Inspector of Plumbing until May 1, 1956
- 12 John M. Hannigan, Deputy Inspector of Plumbing until May 1, 1956
- 16 Willard G. Hersee, Auxiliary Fireman
- 20 Charles L. Laffan, Police Lieutenant
- 20 Thomas F. Doyle, Police Lieutenant
- 20 Dennis J. Doyle, Police Sergeant
- 20 Stephen J. Slack, Jr., Police Lieutenant
- 20 John E. Whearty, Chief of Police
- 23 John E. Whearty, Dog Officer until March 3, 1956
- 23 John E. Whearty, Constable until March 3, 1956
- 27 John E. Whearty, Keeper of the Lockup

- June 3 George N. Hurd, Jr., Legislative Agent and Fence Viewer
- 10 Carl H. Rauscher, Harbor Master
- 24 Walter F. Nolan, Police Sergeant

- July 8 George N. Hurd, Jr., member Planning Board to fill unexpired term

- Aug. 1 Carl V. Payson, Inspector Precinct 6
- 5 Howard A. Smith, Deputy Inspector Precinct 5
- 3 George F. Steptoe, Deputy Inspector Precinct 4
- 8 Helen Rogers, School Traffic Patrol Supervisor
- 8 Ina B. Larson, School Traffic Patrol Supervisor
- 8 Anne Noris, School Traffic Patrol Supervisor
- 8 Mary Boyle, School Traffic Patrol Supervisor
- 8 Thomas J. Moore, Deputy Clerk Precinct 3
- 8 Robert Duncan, Deputy Inspector Precinct 1
- 9 Benjamin B. B. Coleman, Inspector Precinct 4
- 9 Francis Poleski, Deputy Inspector Precinct 1
- 9 Madolin M. Berigan, School Traffic Patrol Supervisor
- 10 Edna M. Murphy, School Traffic Patrol Supervisor
- 10 Joseph B. Mooney, Deputy Inspector Precinct 1
- 12 George F. Moulton, Senior Deputy Inspector Precinct 6
- 17 Arthur E. Brackett, Deputy Clerk, Precinct 6

- Sept. 1 Robert E. Foster, Deputy Warden Precinct 7
- 16 Stanley F. Snell, Deputy Warden Precinct 5

- Oct. 18 Richard M. H. Harper, Jr., Auxiliary Fireman
- 18 Herbert T. Greene, Auxiliary Fireman
- 20 George A. Lobban, Clerk Precinct 3
- 28 Walter Kernan, Auxiliary Fireman
- 28 John W. Dalton, Deputy Chief Milton Police
- 31 Richard E. Forbes, Auxiliary Fireman

TOWN OFFICERS SWORN

- 31 Walter L. McDermott, Thomas J. Lynes, Jr., Robert F. Bronsdon, Gordon F. Leonard, Henry E. Mersch, Jr., Joseph J. Noris, Coleman Joyce, George A. Lobban, Victor Carlson were all sworn in as Special Police for Hallowe'en
- Nov. 4 Charles J. McCawley, Deputy Clerk Precinct 5
21 Melvin E. Dolan, Assistant Town Counsel until April 1, 1956
- Dec. 28 Mrs. Agnes Howard, Mrs. Helen Stasey, Mrs. Lillian Kemp, Mrs. Anna May Gioiosa, Mrs. Beatrice W. Hodgkins, Mrs. Margaret L. Stebbins, Robert Shaughnessy, Mrs. Helen Geromini, Mrs. Ruth Klehm, Mrs. Martha Cadigan, Mrs. Barbara Leary, Mrs. Jean 'Gilman, Mrs. Rose Farrington, Mrs. Frances Goddard, Edward J. Shaughnessy, Jr., Joseph B. Mooney, George Lobban, Mrs. Dorothy Jacobsen, Mrs. Ruth P. Hansen, Everett F. Parks, sworn in as Enumerators to take the 1956 census.



VITAL STATISTICS

Registry of Births, Marriages and Deaths in 1955

BIRTHS

The whole number of births registered in 1955 (returned by physicians as by law required) was 694 as follows:

Date	Name	Residence
Jan. 1	Howard Charles Koffman	Quincy
1	Patrick Lawrence Foley	Boston
2	Patricia Ann Holland	Hingham
4	Thomas Alfred Oriola	Quincy
4	Susan Diane Mills	Boston
4	Laura McCallum	No. Abington
4	Lee Anne Mayo	Quincy
4	James Michael Sullivan	Milton
6	Debra Ellen Stoller	Milton
6	Gerard Martin Casey	Milton
6	John Joseph Sullivan	Quincy
6	Katherine Ann Sullivan	Norwood
6	Alexander Egede Nedzel	Arlington
7	Robert William Johnston	Milton
9	Richard Claude Nagle	Wayland
9	Edmund Christopher Kehoe	Quincy
10	Michael James Leavitt	Quincy
11	John Andrew Nee	Boston
11	Jennifer Lamont Taylor	Hingham
13	Susan Lorraine Jennings	Avon
13	James Joseph O'Driscoll	Boston
15	Keith Barton Shaw	Milton
15	Richard Warren Birch	Milton
15	Susan Elizabeth Mahoney	Milton
16	Karen Beth Schaaphok	Newton
17	Ellen Alexandra Glendon	Milton
17	Deborah Leslie Guertin	Milton
17	Sally Ann Littlefield	Holbrook
18	Mary Alison Dennis	Milton
18	Frederick William Carbone, Jr.	Boston
18	Mary Donahue	Milton
19	Thomas Colbert Moye	Weston
19	Doreen Mary Dudash	Westwood
19	Joanne Elizabeth Arcana	Scituate
19	Elizabeth Ann Taylor	Needham
19	Joan Flaherty	Milton
20	Susan Marie Schatz	Lexington
20	Barry Douglas Ollerhead	Milton
21	Kenneth Phelan Lawrence	Hingham
22	Timothy Ahern Creedon	Norwell
23	Donald Edwin Lang	Milton
23	Daniel Eugene Cocuzzo	Milton
24	Lorraine Doris Pearson	Milton
24	Patrice Marie McCluskey	Milton
24	Lawrence Michael Simms	Boston

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	24	Brian Mason	Milton
	25	David Alan Johnson	Milton
	26	Laura Jean McNulty	Braintree
	27	Peter Shea	Braintree
	27	Carrie Louise Lyon	E. Weymouth
	28	David Alan Kimball	Boston
	28	Elizabeth Rena Gabaree	Quincy
	29	Thomas Anthony Whalen, Jr.	Canton
	30	Kurt David Krueger	Milton
	30	Catherine Teresa Biggi	Milton
	30	William Francis Donovan	Milton
	30	Paul Matthes	Weymouth
	30	Patricia Matthes	Weymouth
Feb.	1	Kevin Francis Pratt	Braintree
	1	Ronald Charles MacNeill III	Quincy
	1	Edward Joseph Maloof	Somerville
	1	Warren Bradford Tracy	Boston
	2	Andrea Louise Rounds	Norwell
	3	Kathleen Marie Travers	Egypt
	3	James Gardner	Quincy
	5	Susan Piepenbrink	Cohasset
	5	Gerald McGowan	Boston
	5	Michael Byers	Milton
	6	Carey Stephen Roessel	Milton
	6	John Barry Ahearn	Milton
	6	Paul Lauchlin MacPhee	Quincy
	6	Bradford Norris Dixon	Holbrook
	7	Nancy Jean Rothwell	Boston
	7	Janet Lynn Mariner	Braintree
	7	Kathleen Patricia Clarke	Weymouth
	8	Cora Jeannette McHugh	Braintree
	8	William Paul Shea	Boston
	8	Patricia Ann Hooley	Quincy
	8	Ronda Lee Desatnick	Milton
	9	Victoria Kristina Strong	Milton
	9	William Leo O'Connor, Jr.	Boston
	10	Kathleen Marie Tolland	Boston
	11	Barbara Marie Good	Weymouth
	11	Kathleen Marie Jean	Boston
	11	Patricia Marie Aylward	Quincy
	11	Deborah Mary Dempsey	Milton
	12	Wayne Petty	Weymouth
	12	Joan Marie Scully	Stoughton
	13	Rosemary Madelyn Allen	Milton
	13	Scott William Pollock	Milton
	14	Deborah Marie Regan	Weymouth
	14	Julie Anne Hiney	Milton
	15	Patricia Linnehan	Milton
	16	Barbara Jean Shea	Milton
	16	Patricia Canavan	Milton
	16	Virginia Poor	Scituate
	16	Paul David Barry	Milton
	17	Gerard Joseph Pineau	Boston

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17	Kathleen Donovan	Milton
18	Robert Emmett Maguire, Jr.	Milton
18	Patricia Marian Leary	Boston
18	Paul Thomas Villard	Milton
19	Wendy Jane Haskell	Milton
19	Michael Patrick Webb	Weymouth
20	Barry William Braconi	Canton
20	James Christopher Murphy	Weymouth
21	Michael Joseph Kelley	Quincy
23	David Paul Quilty	Weymouth
23	Richard Scott Green	Milton
23	Lori Ann Caracciolo	Weymouth
24	Paul Ando Smith	Milton
25	John Francis Spatola	Milton
27	Daniel Nelson	Boston
27	Patricia Ann Scully	Boston
27	Mark Trevor Kincaid	Milton
27	Paul Anthony Kennedy	Milton
27	Richard Edward Reardon	Milton
28	Susan Rhonda Rottenberg	Milton
28	Susan Hornstra	Hingham

Mar.	1	Peter MacKenzie Close	Hingham
	1	Deborah Lee Ellis	Randolph
	1	David Kevin Thompson	Quincy
	1	Mark Paul Kramer	Boston
	1	David Arthur Friese	Milton
	2	Robert James Tracy	Milton
	2	Rosemary Alice Sagar	Boston
	2	Michelle Marie Komar	Milton
	3	Susan Elizabeth Pamplin	Quincy
	4	Donald Lorey Deschenes, Jr.	Milton
	4	William Barry O'Brien	Milton
	4	Michael Arthur McGillvary	Boston
	6	Coleman Francis Concannon	Dedham
	6	David Lars Bickford	Weymouth
	6	Jill Elizabeth Wallman	Holbrook
	6	John Patrick O'Neil	Weymouth
	6	John Michael Foley	Boston
	7	Stephen Paul Murray	Milton
	7	Susan Lombardi	Boston
	7	Eric Paul Kamino	Quincy
	7	Richard Kirk Allen	Boston
	8	Edward Joseph Spellman	Milton
	8	Peter Bruce Stepanek	Quincy
	8	Joanne Marie Papale	Dedham
	8	Thomas Whiting Greene	Milton
	8	Carl Alvah Wennberg	Quincy
	8	William Alexander Sturrock	Quincy
	8	Walter Joseph McNamara III	Boston
	9	Dana Ruhl Boyer	Quincy
	11	Joanne Richard	Milton
	11	Debra Lynne Reynolds	Quincy

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	11	Nancy Leigh Atwood	Weymouth
	11	Stacey Ann Hendrickson	Scituate
	11	Stephen Patrick Taylor	Holbrook
	13	Arthur Joseph Gordon, Jr.	Milton
	15	Michael Vincent Dynan	Walpole
	15	Helene Ann Bortolotti	Milton
	16	Carleen Ann Kardas	Dedham
	16	Patricia Lynch	Randolph
	16	Lynne Susan Torney	Weymouth
	17	Brian Patrick Smith	Milton
	17	Christopher James Bennert	Milton
	18	Earl Sven Gingras	Milton
	18	Francis Joseph Buckley	Braintree
	18	Karen Frances Bessetti	Randolph
	19	Kathleen Josephine Connell	Milton
	19	Peter Molinaro	Quincy
	20	Maria Palie	Boston
	20	Kevin Michael Bryant	Boston
	20	Donna Kathleen Hayes	Quincy
	21	Charles Lawrence Skidmore	Weymouth
	22	Edwin Patrick Walsh	Randolph
	23	Edward Walsh Doherty	Milton
	23	Bonnie Alvina Seath	Weymouth
	24	Barbara Elizabeth Marotto	Milton
	24	Robert Leo DiAngelo	Weymouth
	24	Patrick Joseph Moroney	Boston
	24	Maureen Conlan	Boston
	25	Susan Alice Murphy	Milton
	25	Mary Jane O'Neil	Abington
	25	Jan Marie Flaherty	Weymouth
	26	Maureen Ann Kelleher	Milton
	26	Thomas Lindsley Mamford	Milton
	26	Frank Robert Battaglia	Milton
	26	Keith Raphael Maher	Milton
	27	Nancy Benjamin	Boston
	28	Jeffrey Stewart Berry	Milton
	28	Darrell Hoag	Boston
	28	Nancy Ann Jennings	Boston
	29	Roberta Faye McKinnell	Randolph
	29	Paul Joseph Risi	Weymouth
	29	Dennis Jeffrey Drain	Milton
	31	Jeffrey Rix Watts	Stoughton
Apr.	1	Dianne Elizabeth Oteri	Weymouth
	1	Robert Charles Shaughnessy	Milton
	1	Edward Baker Leary	Milton
	2	Alison Freeman Causer	Norwell
	3	Lea Marie Finerty	Quincy
	4	Mary Kathleen Shaw	Boston
	4	Francis Goffredo	Boston
	4	Dennis James Collier	Quincy
	5	Margaret English	Milton
	5	Thomas Anthony Fabrizio	Quincy

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5	Cathleen Frances Day	Scituate
5	Robert Lundgren	Braintree
6	Beth Holly Adelson	Boston
6	Patrick Edward Martell	Weymouth
7	Nancy Jean Arnold	Braintree
7	Harry Lawrence Lima	Weymouth
7	James Arthur Kelley	Boston
7	Bernadette Chipman	Milton
8	Nancy Jean Olsson	Holbrook
8	Paula Jane Malinowski	Abington
9	Mark Joseph Conklin	Boston
10	Peter William Shimmin	Milton
10	Susan Ann Bridgeman	Weymouth
12	Deborah Mielko	Braintree
12	Ann Marie Goyette	Boston
12	Baby Boy Simenson	Milton
13	Gerard Doyle	Milton
13	Baby Boy Bulens	Weymouth
13	Doreen Mary Corbett	Boston
13	Linda Marie Kerwin	Quincy
13	Harry Baker Ellis III	Boston
14	Cynthia Louise Norton	Weymouth
14	Charles Robert Ronald	Boston
15	David Flaherty	Boston
15	Maureen Louise Murphy	Milton
15	Jennifer Lark Bunce	Milton
16	Paula Frances Cashman	Boston
18	Karen Ann Brennick	Boston
18	David Paul Crowley	Quincy
19	Maryanne Ardini	Milton
19	Suzeanne Ardini	Milton
20	Andrea Eve Laffey	Dedham
20	Jeffrey Scott Stranger	Milton
23	John Francis Forry II	Boston
23	Gail Dmohowski	Boston
24	Paula Marie Viola	Boston
25	Sharon Anna Bass	Quincy
25	Suzanne Marie Forde	Randolph
25	William Joseph Day	Milton
26	Marcia Doris Matthews	Stoughton
26	Kristen Nancy Wallace	Norwell
27	Debra Lee Broderick	Boston
27	Martha Sinclair McCormick	Milton
27	Ann Catherine Houlahan	Quincy
28	Bradford Dana Christo	Quincy
28	Robin Pamela Wilmore	Cohasset
28	William Patrick Reddington, Jr.	Milton
28	Mary Louise Kenny	Dedham
28	David Lawrence McCarthy	Boston
29	William Hamilton Prust	Hingham
29	Katherine Pyne	Milton
30	Andrea Jamesina Cevolani	Braintree
30	Kenneth Stanley Reid, Jr.	Quincy

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May	1	Candice Mae Ford	Braintree
	1	Nancy Mae Alexander	Milton
	2	Anthony Stephen Will	Milton
	2	Deborah Jean Carder	Milton
	2	Leslie Anne Landry	Milton
	2	Elaine Claudia Bartelson	Milton
	3	Stephen Hyde Swift	Milton
	3	Katherine Marie Degnan	Boston
	3	Mark Thomas Fidler	Milton
	3	Blair Francis St. Croix	Milton
	4	Stephen Paul Shinney	Milton
	4	Cheryl Ann Barton	Boston
	5	Doreen Marie Kenney	Quincy
	6	Christopher Jarvis	Quincy
	6	Anthony Jarvis	Quincy
	6	Paul Foster	Weymouth
	8	Richard Bruce Hodgkins	Quincy
	9	Donna Marie Griffin	Boston
	10	Joan McCarthy	Boston
	10	Margaret Melissa Cogan	Scituate
	12	Joyce Ann Scherber	Milton
	12	Katharine Teresa Studley	Cohasset
	13	Josephine O'Brien	Milton
	13	John Charles Monahan	Milton
	13	Thomas Perry Bowden	Milton
	13	Paula Ayers	Hingham
	14	Caren Anne Caljouw	Boston
	15	Stephen Albert Vanasse	Boston
	15	James Henry Dixon, Jr.	Newton
	15	Thomas James Nigrelli	Quincy
	16	Paul Richard Hunter	Randolph
	16	Janice Gayle Wheeler	Randolph
	17	Michael Francis Riley	Braintree
	17	Karen Ann Swanson	Boston
	18	Rhonda Jeanne Matthews	Quincy
	18	Donald Francis Martucci	Quincy
	19	Jeryl Louise Scolamiero	Quincy
	20	Maria Clare Rota	Randolph
	20	Alfred DiCarlo	Quincy
	20	Robert Pierce	Milton
	21	Keith Edward Miceli	Braintree
	21	Marie Jean Patterson	Randolph
	21	Carleton Robert Peterson	Milton
	22	Beth Reilly	Randolph
	22	Joseph Francis Richards	Randolph
	22	Michael Glenn Roy	Quincy
	22	Michael Early Klehm	Boston
	23	Eric Paul Limont	Scituate
	24	Joseph Michael Campbell	Quincy
	25	Carol Ruth Erickson	Boston
	25	Joyce Anne MacPherson	Milton
	25	Leslie Ramsay	Needham
	26	Charles Edward Kenney, Jr.	Milton
	27	William Frederick Jones	Boston

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	28	William Bryon Cook	Norwell
	28	Gayle Ann Haponik	Braintree
	28	James Michael Plant	Milton
	29	Stephen Duane	Weymouth
	30	Gray Melvin Dewey	Quincy
June	2	Terrence Campbell O'Toole	Milton
	3	Nancy Gwen Millman	Quincy
	4	Stephen Bernard Poelaert	Milton
	4	William Francis Baga	Boston
	5	Robert Gary Novack	Milton
	5	Kevin Michael Davis	Needham
	6	Jeffrey John Stefani	Scituate
	7	Douglas Jay Mills	Weymouth
	7	Alysa Boehler	Milton
	7	Richard Michael Caliri	Boston
	7	Richard James Casey, Jr.	Quincy
	8	Paul Bernard Meyers	Milton
	8	Linda Anne Buchanan	Boston
	8	Janet Mary Ferullo	Milton
	9	David Andrew Deegan	Boston
	9	Linda Rosenthal	Quincy
	10	Debra Sue Wilkinson	Holbrook
	10	Craig Karl Wallace	Milton
	10	Stephen Kelley	Tewksbury
	10	Eileen Ann Jackson	Quincy
	13	James Carl Rutecki	Milton
	13	Thomas Francis Kennedy, Jr.	Boston
	14	Peter Joseph Muise	Quincy
	17	Susan Marie Hebb	Milton
	18	Dana Anthony Salario	Quincy
	18	Gordon Hope Chase	Braintree
	18	Debra Marie McManus	Boston
	18	Robert MacDonald	Brockton
	19	Katherine Louise Raleigh	Weymouth
	19	Susan Elizabeth McCaffrey	Milton
	19	Eric James Crews	Dedham
	20	Donald Francis Zorn	Boston
	20	Roberta Ann Weaver	Abington
	22	Tracey Tierney	Randolph
	22	Debra Ann Lang	Braintree
	22	Janet Louise Franklin	Quincy
	22	Thomas Edward McHale, Jr.	Braintree
	22	Wendy Louise Morse	Weymouth
	23	Robert Joseph McDonald	Brockton
	23	Lucia Ellen Qualey	Weymouth
	23	Maria Ann Drotter	Weymouth
	23	Arthur Francis Vercollone	Milton
	24	Michael McCarthy	Milton
	24	Susan Griffin Trainor	Braintree
	25	Roger Anthony Reed	Quincy
	25	Ruth Marlea Cunningham	Quincy
	26	Andrew Larson	Randolph

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	26	Valerie June Felitto	Milton
	26	Virginia Wylie Hobbs	Canton
	28	Deborah Ann McIntyre	Boston
	29	Gregory John Holt	Brockton
	29	Peter Francis Barry	Quincy
	30	Anastacia George	Braintree
	30	Robert Francis Rappold, Jr.	Rockland
July	1	Karl Gregg	Randolph
	2	April Jean MacKinnon	Weymouth
	2	Diane Carol Schepis	Randolph
	3	Peter Robert Dattman	Weymouth
	3	Joan Carol Sealund	Quincy
	3	Clifford Ernest Chase	Hingham
	4	Lawrence Whelden Cassese	Weymouth
	5	Paul Joseph Gaughran	Weymouth
	5	Scott Coolidge Frazer	Quincy
	6	Robert Bruno Salvucci	Weymouth
	6	Richard Louis Secatore	Braintree
	6	Stephen Eric Groff	Milton
	6	Elizabeth Marie White	Milton
	9	David Warren Campbell	Boston
	10	Peter Pratt	Cohasset
	11	Lori Ellen Josephson	Canton
	11	William Austin Kenney, Jr.	Natick
	11	Mary Margaret Cantelmo	Rockland
	12	Russell James Dillon	Randolph
	12	Charles Scott Williams	Milton
	14	Robert Arthur Charlton	Whitman
	14	Paul Francis Carr	Boston
	14	Richard William Hill	Weymouth
	15	Harold James McDermott, Jr.	Boston
	19	Mark Christopher Nardone	Quincy
	20	James Arthur McGinn	Weymouth
	21	Susan Jean Overfelt	Randolph
	21	Edward Carl Scheffler, Jr.	Milton
	21	Susan Elizabeth Curley	Canton
	21	William Jeffrey Ardini	Milton
	24	Richard Gerard Wells, Jr.	Quincy
	24	Peter Willy Reed	Wellesley
	24	Amelia Catherine Walsh	Quincy
	24	Michael Peter Getchell	Milton
	25	Theresa Panton	Boston
	25	Mary Elizabeth Jenkins	Milton
	26	Melinda Anne Foley	Scituate
	26	Nancy Claire Klehm	Milton
	27	Graham MacKenzie	Braintree
	29	Frances Hughena McKendall	Boston
	29	Harold Gunnar Kelley	Milton
	29	Nancy Ann Thornton	Canton
	29	Mary Amelia Welch	Boston
	29	James Michael Powers	Quincy
	30	Linda Ann Campbell	Quincy

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30	Christopher Bill	Braintree
31	Thomas Patrick Duggan	Scituate
Aug.	2 Paul Andrew Nelson	Quincy
	2 Glenn Charles Haskins	Milton
	3 Donna Marie Linehan	Milton
	3 Daniel Gioiosa	Milton
	4 Mary Louise Welter	Boston
	4 Bruce Norrby Varney	Milton
	4 Robert Joseph Mattaliano	Milton
	5 Maureen Lynn Doherty	Boston
	5 Debra Scott	Braintree
	6 Russell Myles Irving, Jr.	Abington
	6 Janet Gately	Boston
	7 Maureen Anne Brown	Milton
	7 Janice Lee Bell	Milton
	7 Paula Jean O'Donnell	Avon
	7 Ann Marie Lynch	Milton
	8 Jeffrey Allen Dyson	Hingham
	8 Paul Stuart Brown	Canton
	9 Jean Marie O'Sullivan	Weymouth
	9 Valerie Jane Bishop	Holbrook
	10 John Peter Giuggio, Jr.	Quincy
	10 William Mulvaney	Weymouth
	10 Lawrence Norman Collier	Holbrook
	11 Cheryl Ann Kelty	Hingham
	11 Debra Lee Sawyer	Canton
	11 Wendy Joyce Watson	Randolph
	11 Eugene John Delaplace	Westwood
	12 Cary Diane Gregory	Randolph
	12 Bruce Walter Hendrickson	Quincy
	14 Brian Konick	Boston
	14 Richard Carl Skarinka	Islington
	15 William Coughlin	Weymouth
	15 Paul Joseph McLaughlin	Boston
	15 Meredith Sawyer	Weymouth
	15 Stephen Robert Keefe	Cohasset
	15 Cynthia Milley	Milton
	16 Lorraine Antonellis	Quincy
	16 Lorraine Clark	Boston
	16 Susan Cameron French	Milton
	17 Thomas Robert Daly	Boston
	17 Paula Kirsch	Randolph
	18 Nancy Gayle Hatch	Boston
	19 Michael John Hanafin	Milton
	19 Forrest Edward Proctor	Weymouth
	19 Mary Elizabeth Kearney	Randolph
	19 Gertrude Diane Kapsis	Canton
	19 William Francis Minihan	Milton
	20 Kathleen Ellen Condon	Boston
	21 Mark Joseph Breslin	Quincy
	21 Karen Laplante Baldwin	Quincy
	21 Mark Richard Cunningham	Boston

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	22	Lynne Elizabeth Gallagher	Quincy
	22	Mark Dunphy	Quincy
	22	Daniel Eric Smith	Milton
	23	Robert Alex Allen	Hull
	23	Joseph Richard Cox	Milton
	23	Loretta Jackunas	Milton
	24	Cheryl Ann Conly	Avon
	24	Diane Joyce Howarth	Weymouth
	24	Clare Elizabeth Rynne	Milton
	25	Sarah Jean Gavigan	Canton
	26	Brian Michael Good	Milton
	26	Nancy Sullivan	Randolph
	26	Christinia Gene Cummings	Quincy
	26	John Sandstrom Powers	Milton
	29	David William Johnson	Quincy
	29	Jeffrey James Thrower	Quincy
	29	Kathy Francis Wilson	Boston
	29	Susan Catherine Stevens	Milton
Sept.	1	Mark Charles Miller	Quincy
	1	Karen Anne Cammall	Milton
	1	Anne Marie Battaglia	Brockton
	1	Janice Lee Raymond	Randolph
	2	Susan Marie Dunphy	Scituate
	2	Laurie Kay MacLeod	Stoughton
	3	Paul William Zeuski	Randolph
	3	Jean Marie Casey	Milton
	4	Sheryle Ann McGuinness	Quincy
	4	Paula Podolski	Dedham
	6	Brian Paul O'Hare	Boston
	6	Joan Marie Curtin	Boston
	7	Cynthia Lamkin	Milton
	8	Coleen Mary Casey	Weymouth
	9	Susan Libertini	Quincy
	10	Craig Arnold Piquette	Quincy
	10	Donald Paul Gillis	Brockton
	10	Bradford Andrew Wallace	Braintree
	11	Carl Edmond Sjoquist	Weymouth
	11	Michael Joseph Blinn	Quincy
	14	Richard Charles Mullin	Braintree
	15	Keith William Price	Boston
	15	Gary Webber Price	Boston
	15	Richard Brian O'Leary	Sharon
	18	Donna Fitzgerald	Boston
	18	Nancy Jean Wikstrom	Randolph
	19	Therese Claire Kelly	Boston
	19	Patricia Lynne Foley	Weymouth
	20	Mark Winfield Fullerton	Boston
	20	John Patrick Murphy	Randolph
	21	Katherine McGuirk	Stoughton
	23	Nicholas Charles Satrazemis	Milton
	23	Stephen Edward Williams	Hingham
	24	Gary McDonald	Stoughton

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	24	Elizabeth Ketchum	Rockland
	24	Linda Jeanne Saucier	Milton
	25	Dawn Marie Rose	Boston
	26	Michael William Burbank	Quincy
	26	Virginia Elizabeth Donahue	Milton
	28	Judith Ann Buckley	Milton
	28	Brian Anthony McSharry	Boston
	28	Patricia Marie Foley	Randolph
	29	Ann Marie Rafferty	Boston
	29	Christine Freitas	Boston
	30	Donald Alexander Ross, Jr.	Weymouth
	30	Paula Mary McGrann	Boston
Oct.	1	Stephanie Desiree Polychrones	Stoughton
	2	David James Maw	Rockland
	2	Christopher Channing Winter	Milton
	2	Leslyn Doreen Card	Boston
	4	Lea Ann Libby	Weymouth
	5	Marietta Joan Bosworth	Milton
	6	Richard Mason Malloy	Quincy
	6	Patricia Marie McDonald	Boston
	6	Carol Jean Stenberg	Quincy
	6	Susan Sadler	Cohasset
	7	James Michael Murphy	Braintree
	7	Mary Lou Baker	Braintree
	8	Mary Beth Taylor	Quincy
	9	Julie Marie Dyer	Boston
	9	John Arthur Rooks II	Quincy
	10	Mona Jean Sevieri	Boston
	11	Theresa Marie O'Brien	Randolph
	11	Carleen Louise Lucas	Weymouth
	11	Virginia Mary Donahue	Milton
	11	John William Holland, Jr.	Quincy
	11	Kathleen Holland	Quincy
	11	Frank Gordon Harris III	Rockland
	12	Jeffrey Francis Dillon	Quincy
	13	Bradford Paul Johnson	Weymouth
	15	Lauren Eloise Suk	Portland, Maine
	16	Joseph Eugene Lucchetti	Boston
	16	Richard Aroyan	Boston
	16	Claudia Ann DeMeritt	Weymouth
	16	Valerie Ann Meehan	Quincy
	17	Patricia Ann Nee	Holbrook
	17	Dennis Walter Potts	Boston
	17	Evelyn Teresa Zeph	Stoughton
	18	Donna Marie Schindler	Boston
	18	Robin Leslie McGowan	Braintree
	19	Michael Patrick McCarthy	Weymouth
	21	Michael Henry Lafond	Boston
	21	Stewart James McKenzie	Hingham
	21	Robert List	Milton
	21	Gwendolyn Park	Hanover
	21	Jeanmarie Venti	Braintree

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	23	Leslie Jean Runge	Quincy
	24	Linda Jeanne O'Brien	Milton
	24	Edward Neil Leonard	Milton
	25	Karen Anne Reale	Brockton
	25	Joel Richard Spiller	Milton
	26	Lauren Ann Curtis	Weymouth
	27	Joellen DiRusso	Dedham
	27	Dennis Minahan	Weymouth
	28	Cynthia Joy Maves	Hingham
	28	Linda Florena Benjaminsen	Boston
	29	Michael William Gorham	Quincy
	29	Patricia Sestito	Boston
	30	Nancy Lee Gibson	Boston
	31	Karl Roger Burton, Jr.	Cohasset
	31	Mark Lee Elliott	Boston
Nov.	1	Lynne Alice Russell	Milton
	1	Susan Mary Barry	Quincy
	1	Mary Beth Dailey	Quincy
	2	Meredith Ann Bogni	Milton
	2	Ronald Daymon Swan	Marshfield
	2	Linda Susan Brown	Kingston
	2	Frederick Zagrodny	Quincy
	2	Steven Michael Grattan	Braintree
	2	Stephen Webster Crowley	Hanover
	3	Margo Ann Teed	Milton
	3	Judith Lydia Nielsen	Hull
	3	Deborah Jean Clark	Weymouth
	3	John Edward Nylander, Jr.	Waltham
	4	Susan Kathleen Ricca	Quincy
	6	Jean Sullivan	Quincy
	6	Joan Sullivan	Quincy
	7	Laurence Michael Weisse	Milton
	7	John Larkin Foley	Braintree
	7	John Vincent Sutton	Newton
	7	Ann Marie D'Arpino	Milton
	9	Brian Joseph George	Randolph
	9	Douglas Roland Flagge	Milton
	10	Donna Lee Botsch	Stoughton
	10	Sandra Ellen O'Neil	Boston
	11	Deborah Ann Moules	Quincy
	11	Katherine Mary Villard	Milton
	11	Brian William Pastor	Weymouth
	11	Jacqueline Bishop	Norwood
	12	Mark Costantino	Boston
	14	Glenn Edward Curry	Milton
	14	Eugene Mattie	Norwell
	15	Donna Marie Mulhern	Milton
	15	Robert Emmet Foley, Jr.	Rockland
	15	Francis William Cusick, Jr.	Milton
	16	Martin Kent Manley	Milton
	19	David William Ritchie	Milton
	19	Elizabeth Ann Knight	Milton

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19	Marie Panciocco	Boston
19	Nancy Phyllis Fraser	Milton
20	Wayne Sutton	Boston
21	Paul Francis Casey	Boston
22	Steven Arthur Ladue	Boston
22	Paul Carmody	Weymouth
22	Craig Jeffrey McGowan	Dedham
24	Susan Marie West	Norwood
24	Steven Paul Lunetta	Abington
24	Carol Louise Creighton	Milton
24	Mark Phillip Bray	Quincy
25	Paula Judith Raymond	Boston
25	John Joseph McEachern	Milton
26	Susan Marie Green	Randolph
27	Leslie Joyce Peterson	Weymouth
27	Robert Allen Coburn	Randolph
28	Deborah Joan Hammers	Milton
29	Alice Gertrude Fiske	Boston
30	Gale Diane Johnson	Weymouth
30	Donald Allen Cappadona	Boston
30	Brian Joseph Gould	Braintree
30	Cynthia Jane Newman	Weymouth

Dec.	1	Eileen Marie Anderson	Boston
	2	Mary Margaret Nisbet	Boston
	2	Donna Jean Uhrig	Boston
	3	Debra Robin Bayard	Boston
	4	Pamela Thayer Harvie	Quincy
	4	Janice Elizabeth McCallum	Braintree
	5	Nancy Lynn Foley	Weymouth
	5	David Milton Hall	Foxboro
	6	Patricia Marie Kearns	Milton
	7	Peter Allen Lukarinen	Quincy
	8	Debra Jo Lapham	Newton
	8	John Charles Stanley	Braintree
	8	Anne Marie Carroll	Boston
	8	Gregory Sophis	Quincy
	9	Peter Rushworth	Canton
	9	Carolyn Ruth DiPesa	Milton
	9	Willard George Hersee III	Foxboro
	10	Freda Christine Nolan	Boston
	10	Anthony Francis Molinaro, Jr.	Boston
	11	Edward Charles Calabro, Jr.	Quincy
	11	Christopher Edward Barry	Holbrook
	11	Carol Ann McEvoy	Quincy
	12	Gregory Michael Downing	Boston
	12	Laurie Jayne Allen	Randolph
	13	Joseph Stephen O'Leary, Jr.	Boston
	14	Baby Girl Drinan	Quincy
	14	William Francis Berberan	Quincy
	15	Baby Boy Campbell	Milton
	15	Sarah Elizabeth Wheatley	Milton
	15	Carole Lee Tripp	Stoughton

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15	Carol Warn	Quincy
16	Janet Peluso	Dedham
16	Susan Reid	Milton
18	Wayne Scott White	Canton
18	Calvin Edward Allen Wright	Kingston
18	Christopher Manders	Boston
21	Francis Donald Brooks, Jr.	Boston
23	David Wayne Fraser	Randolph
25	Christine Ann Merrigan	Boston
25	Carol Lowd	Randolph
25	Charles Frederick King	Milton
26	Elaine Marie Secatore	Boston
26	Bradford Lewis Doten	Quincy
26	Cynthia Marie McGovern	Boston
26	Debra Lynne Bostwick	Canton
29	Jeanne Angellis	Quincy
29	Cynthia Lou Marini	Weymouth
29	Donna Marie Power	Boston
29	Joan Barbara Feldstein	Natick
30	Donald Phillips Bass	Quincy
31	Thomas Gerard Brennan	Boston

MARRIAGES

The whole number of marriages registered in the Town of Milton for the year 1955 was 288 as follows:

- Jan. 1 Raymond C. Kelley, Jr. of Milton and Myrtle (Miller) Ochs of Pembroke.
 8 Herbert T. Hatch of Milton and Dorothy N. Brain of Boston.
 8 Henry W. Walsh, Jr. of Milton and Margaret R. Aiken of Boston.
 8 James Richard Lamere of Milton and Louise Hunter Goodnow of Boston.
 15 Robert H. Flynn of Milton and Joan M. Langlois of Brookline.
 16 Anthony W. Chase of Plymouth, N. H. and Edith R. Leary of Milton.
 16 Melvin Green of Milton and Gladys Horne of Newton.
 16 Lloyd E. Church of Brattleboro, Vt. and Carol R. LeCain of Milton.
 21 Alfonso Vogler of Milton and Margaret Fischer of Boston.
 23 Barnard M. Goodman of Boston and Marjorie Ann Bornstein of Milton.
 29 John E. Leary of Milton and Maria T. Pridham of Brookline.
 30 Edwin Weiner of Malden and Carolyn Michaelson of Milton.
 30 Gerald J. Smyth of Milton and J. Leslie Flemming of Boston.
 30 Edward Linahan and Geraldine Finn, both of Milton.
- Feb. 5 Mariner A. Newman, Jr. of Weymouth and Janet Church of Milton.
 5 Frederick G. Munroe of Peabody and Mary Dean of Milton.
 5 Stephen J. Smith of Long Island, N. Y. and Jean Clapp of Milton.
 11 David P. Manning and Monika G. Baumeister, both of Milton.
 12 John J. Shaughnessy of Quincy and Mary E. Lagace of Milton.
 12 Raymond Harris of Malden and Frances Berger of Milton.
 14 Harry R. Clayman of Milton and Evelyn R. Learner of Boston.
 19 Ashton Stocker of Cambridge and Susan L. Cluett of Milton.
 19 John J. Monahan of W. Chelmsford and Eleanor Oberlander of Milton.
 19 Roger J. McCarthy, Jr. of Milton and Mary C. McDonough of Boston.
 19 Robert E. McLeod of Milton and Fay Marie Weber of McKeesport, Pa.
 22 Richard G. Finnegan of Boston and Ann Marie Good of Milton.
 25 Jack H. C. Reader of Milton and Ann F. B. Dakers of Boston.

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- Mar. 4 David R. Marshall, Jr. of Milton and Betty Anne Campbell of Quincy.
7 Richard J. Blake of Milton and Louise T. Grover of Charlestown.
12 Francis P. Whitney of Milton and Bernadette M. McHugh of Boston.
19 Philip F. Roth of Boston and Mary Louise Williams of Milton.
20 David S. Dudelson of Milton and Aida Mlaver of Boston.
20 Howard W. Eldridge of Brewster and Hope Harlow of Milton.
23 William L. Daniel of Boston and Anne Mulhern of Milton.
26 Richard A. Hanson of Wisconsin and Estelle McCall of Milton.
- Apr. 3 David M. Feldman of Milton and Shirley (Carp) Finn of Boston.
10 Wayne R. Hall of Boston and Carol M. Crosby of Milton.
16 Donal J. Fahey of Boston and Eleanor A. Garrity of Milton.
16 Chester W. Chace, Jr. of Boston and Alice L. Burton of Milton.
16 Edward T. Isaac, Jr. of Belmont and Mary Lou Kelleher of Milton.
16 Ronald E. Hadley and Ruth M. McSweeney, both of Milton.
16 John G. Marshall of Milton and Alma B. Paananen of Middleboro.
16 John O. Stranahan of Quincy and Elaine R. O'Toole of Milton.
16 William H. Flanagan, Jr. of Milton and Claire M. Lyons of Boston.
16 Charles R. Bradford and Elaine D. Cooper, both of Boston.
17 Daniel Dobro of Milton and Florence I. Katzman of Boston.
17 John C. Zella of Quincy and Janet D. Dowdall of Milton.
17 Alexander Di Pesa of Milton and Evelyn Sparanges of Cambridge.
23 James J. Ryan of Boston and Helen F. Cronin of Milton.
23 John Martinelli, Jr. of Somerville and Anne Fallon of Milton.
23 James M. Jacobson of Quincy and Judith A. Martin of Milton.
23 Walter V. Mulloney and Marie F. Foley, both of Boston.
30 Edgar M. Walker of New York, N. Y. and Judith H. Henriksen of Milton.
30 John M. Curley, Jr. of Milton and Jane M. Walker of Newton.
30 John C. Driscoll of Milton and Barbara A. Sullivan of Boston.
30 John M. Grigor, Jr. of Quincy and Edith L. Ericson of Milton.
30 Kenneth F. Tavener of Milton and Margaret M. Cruise of Medford.
30 Charles T. Linnehan and Bernadette A. (Mills) Chippendale, both of Milton.
- May 7 John A. Sullivan, Jr. of Needham and Arline T. Vogel of Milton.
7 Joseph Manning and Joan M. Dragon, both of Milton.
7 Robert M. McDonough of Milton and Eleanor Sullivan of Boston.
7 Alexander C. Eggleston of Boston and Ellen Delaney of Milton.
7 John Olson of Boston and Irene A. Fealy of Milton.
7 Daniel W. McElaney, Jr. and Elizabeth A. McDermott, both of Milton.
8 Ralph Tamburro, Jr. of Watertown and Eleanor Peters of Milton.
14 John J. Connell, Jr. of Boston and Patricia A. McKeen of Milton.
14 Francis J. Shields of Milton and Grace McSharry of Boston.
14 Philip P. Stover of Milton and Joanne L. Rankin of Medfield.
14 Albert B. Williams, Jr. of New York, N. Y. and Alice A. Draper of Milton.
14 Walter W. Hill of Milton and Lillian G. Appleby of Attleboro.
14 William P. Gibbons of Westwood and Natalie J. Stebbins of Milton.
21 Santo Paul Luizzo of Newton and Jean C. Quinn of Milton.
21 Robert S. Buchanan of Stoughton and Priscilla J. Boris of Milton.
21 Harold R. Henriksen of Milton and Elizabeth A. Bonarrigo of Boston.
28 Francis R. Costello of Milton and Ruth J. MacCracken of Quincy.
28 Robert S. Douglass of Boston and Suzanne M. Callow of Milton.
29 Roger L. Thomas of Quincy and Mary L. Connelly of Milton.
29 Elliot J. Englander of Milton and Kae Ellen Small of Newton.

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- 29 Herbert Lemelman of Milton and Lois Goldstein of Boston.
- 30 Joseph A. McEntee, Jr. and Barbara A. Austin, both of Milton.

- June 4 Kenneth L. Briggs of Milton and Anne L. White of Boston.
- 4 William H. K. Donaldson of Salem and Miriam J. Daly of Milton.
- 4 James B. Driscoll of Milton and Kathryn M. Cauley of Boston.
- 4 Vincent P. MacQueeney of Milton and Rita J. Rio of Boston.
- 4 Vincent J. Pizzano of Methuen and Alice V. Sylvester of Milton.
- 4 John Lundquist of Woburn and Mary F. Rice of Milton.
- 4 Richard J. Vaughan of Lexington and Joan P. Kelliher of Milton.
- 4 John D. Carey of Quincy and Barbara L. Douglass of Milton.
- 4 Thomas J. Melsky of Milton and Dorothy M. Carlson of Braintree.
- 5 Thomas C. Currier, Jr. of Braintree and Virginia M. Kendrigan of Milton.
- 7 Seldan A. Lazarow of Milton and Gloria Cohen of Boston.
- 10 Frederick W. Jackson of Milton and Barbara W. Paige of Brookline.
- 11 Charles M. Rawson, Jr. of Milton and Louise V. Brooks of Cambridge.
- 11 John F. Keith of New Brunswick, Canada and Virginia E. Gibb of Milton.
- 11 Russell G. Everest of Battlecreek, Michigan and Nancy A. Caton of Milton.
- 11 John Stanley Woods of Weymouth and Frances Williamson of Milton.
- 11 Henri E. Lion, Jr. of Milton and Eralinde J. Martino of Somerville.
- 11 David C. D. Rogers of Princeton, N. J. and Helen Burgin of Milton.
- 11 Arthur Geissler, Jr., of Milton and Ruth P. Freeman of Winthrop.
- 12 Richard H. Chase of Dennisport and Jean D. O'Connell of Milton.
- 16 Richard P. Fletcher of Quincy and Carol A. McGrail of Milton.
- 17 Bernard A. Russell and Shirley Johnson, both of Milton.
- 18 John W. Chisholm of Milton and Margarita E. Lemire of Boston.
- 18 Michael J. Donovan, Jr. of Boston and Gloria Lee of Milton.
- 18 Joseph J. Keegan of Milton and Alice Doohan of Malden.
- 18 Edward F. Leary of Milton and Ann C. Barry of Boston.
- 18 Milton L. Goff III of Pennsylvania and Emery Bradley of Milton.
- 18 John A. Mullaly of Milton and Elizabeth M. Rooney of Lincoln, R. I.
- 19 Benjamin Sall of Milton and Bessie Brill of Winthrop.
- 19 Ardel M. Hanson of Milton and Anna M. McDonald of Milton.
- 20 James A. Carter and Martha K. Willis, both of Milton.
- 20 Daniel Pierce of Milton and May P. Harding of Dedham.
- 21 Gerald F. Crosby of Milton and Teresa M. McCarthy of Rockland.
- 22 Jeffries Wyman of Milton and Olga de Faria e Castro of New York.
- 24 Herbert W. Lawrence, Jr. and Elizabeth L. Leslie, both of Milton.
- 25 William H. McCarty III of Milton and Mary T. Joyce of Boston.
- 25 William F. Trenholm of Milton and Marguerite A. Bancroft of Boston.
- 25 Richard T. Porteus of Athol and Carolyn M. Schumb of Milton.
- 25 James B. Kenary, Jr. of Worcester and Maryanne Donoghue of Milton.
- 25 James F. Ryan of Milton and Teresita Tobin of Watertown.
- 26 Arthur S. Mobley of Arkansas and Jean H. Archer of Milton.
- 26 Emmett J. Hayes of Boston and Maureen M. Barry of Milton.
- 26 Lawrence R. Benassi of Plymouth and Elizabeth A. Rau of Milton.
- 30 Frank Greenberg of Milton and Jane Pinciss of Boston.

- July 2 John J. Lynch of Boston and Shirley F. MacMillan of Milton.
- 2 Robert Foster and Eleanor Botti, both of Milton.
- 2 Richard A. MacGregor of Newton and Claire G. Davis of Milton.
- 2 James M. Henderson, Jr. and Alison B. Hersey, both of Milton.
- 9 James J. Rabbitt of Boston and Jeanne M. Fleming of Quincy.

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- 9 Ernest W. Martell, Jr. of Quincy and Jean Vickerson of Milton.
 - 9 William A. Putnam of Milton and Doris A. Joy of Belmont.
 - 9 Robert C. King and Faith B. Murray, both of Milton.
 - 10 Paul P. Colella and Therese A. Moynihan, both of Milton.
 - 15 Donald C. Duncan of Milton and Lillian J. Schneider of Worcester.
 - 16 Donald J. Stanley of Milton and Elizabeth A. McIntosh of Melrose.
 - 16 Richard C. Dalton of Brookline and Claire M. Sorgi of Milton.
 - 16 Robert P. Donovan of Milton and Marie Shalloo of Somerset.
 - 16 Henry Sigourney of Cambridge and Doris L. Morberg of Milton.
 - 16 Francis B. Mersch of Milton and Joan R. Ellis of Braintree.
 - 22 Roy F. Mennell of Quincy and Winifred E. Abbott of Milton.
 - 22 George G. Landry of Milton and Paula Markola of Quincy.
 - 23 Donald P. Robinson of Milton and Judith Eames of Melrose.
 - 23 Paul F. Swart and Barbara A. Blake, both of Milton.
 - 23 David C. Marden of Boston and Elizabeth L. Morse of Arlington.
 - 24 Donald P. Lake and Elinor J. Cox, both of Milton.
 - 29 Francis J. King and Ann Benson, both of Milton.
 - 30 Vincent J. Modica of Chelsea and Helen M. Queeney of Milton.
 - 30 Winthrop F. Davison of Boston and Vera Nickerson of Milton.
 - 30 James E. Hart of Milton and Marguerite M. Oberg of Weymouth.
 - 30 James D. Welsh and Anna W. Bills, both of Milton.
 - 31 Donald F. Sinclair of Milton and Priscilla A. Burton of Arlington.
- Aug.
- 6 Carl A. Peterson of Milton and Shirley M. Wheeler of Medford.
 - 6 Richard M. McDowell of Milton and Marilyn C. Reardon of Braintree.
 - 6 B. Frederick Doyle of Ohio and Frances L. Sweeney of Milton.
 - 6 Henry X. deRedon of Connecticut and Marjorie Dexter of Maine.
 - 6 Patrick F. O'Connor of Boston and Frances Connell of Milton.
 - 11 Ronald Dacko and Ruth J. Lewis, both of Milton.
 - 13 John A. Ryan of Quincy and Carol Ball of Milton.
 - 13 Alan Leo McKinnon of Belmont and Eleanor F. Hannigan of Milton.
 - 14 Herbert A. Duke of Milton and Shirley Cameron of Quincy.
 - 14 Ernest A. Giovanni of Braintree and Iola L. Evans of Milton.
 - 17 James A. McKinnon of Milton and Alma M. Finneran of Canton.
 - 20 Robert M. Blaisdell of Milton and Jean C. Mahler of Quincy.
 - 20 Joyn Douhan, Jr. of Cambridge and Beverly A. Pearson of Milton.
 - 20 Anthony Albanese of Milton and Ruth Cronin of Quincy.
 - 20 Richard S. Allen of Norwood and Edna F. Bernau of Milton.
 - 21 John C. Trakas of Milton and Anne N. Poulos of Salem.
 - 22 James F. Healey of Boston and Jean S. Brennan of Milton.
 - 24 James R. Sharples of Boston and Barbara A. Merrill of Milton.
 - 26 George E. Vaillant of Michigan and Anne G. Bradley of Milton.
 - 26 Roger A. Davis of Milton and Lillian A. Scott of Boston.
 - 26 Herman B. Smith of Milton and Beatrice P. Labadie of Vermont.
 - 27 Lincoln T. Prescott and Helen F. Lamb, both of Milton.
 - 27 Edward S. Flash, Jr. of Virginia and Dora M. Grabfield of Milton.
 - 27 Isaac Goodman of New Jersey and Jeanette A. Winston of Milton.
 - 27 Dinon R. Boyer of Wisconsin and Elizabeth M. Marshall of Milton.
- Sept.
- 2 David T. Drysdale and Jessie G. Cookson, both of Dedham.
 - 3 John P. Killilea of Milton and Patricia M. Brennan of Quincy.
 - 3 William E. Kruger, Jr. and Beverly Bent, both of Milton.
 - 4 William H. Mulligan of Milton and Anne M. Walsh of Quincy.

VITAL STATISTICS

- 4 Lawrence J. Weisse of Milton and Barbara L. Parker of Quincy.
 - 4 Robert J. Wigmore and Margaret Nagel, both of Boston.
 - 9 Nathaniel H. Pulling of Marblehead and Lillian Donnelly of Milton.
 - 10 Joseph L. Bertram, Jr. and Patricia Riley, both of Milton.
 - 10 Peter Albrecht of New York and Constance Trowbridge of Milton.
 - 10 John J. Gillis of Boston and Edna Dullea of Milton.
 - 10 Robert F. Cauty of Milton and Virginia M. Duvall of Hull.
 - 10 Robert C. Turns of Sudbury and Leone Kelley of Milton.
 - 10 Paul J. Mulloy of Belmont and Mary F. Sullivan of Milton.
 - 10 Robert F. Suleski of Lynn and Jane B. Drohan of Milton.
 - 10 William M. Lapsley of Boston and Shirley A. Santee of Milton.
 - 10 Kevin F. Connelly of Milton and Sonia P. Forsberg of Boston.
 - 12 Charles H. Burnes of Boston and Mary Ann Smith of Milton.
 - 17 Thomas C. Mannix of Pennsylvania and Jean M. McGonigle of Milton.
 - 17 Raymond Donlan of Waltham and Marilyn Sylvia of Milton.
 - 17 John C. Ferguson of Quincy and Roberta I. Meharg of Boston.
 - 17 William M. McKenzie of Boston and Lillian Winn of Milton.
 - 18 Donald M. Giles of Milton and Lois Melconda of Weymouth.
 - 18 Edwin D. Palmer of Texas and Ann M. Fusoni of Milton.
 - 18 Edward A. Raymond of Boston and Anita J. Balconi of Milton.
 - 18 Richard L. McVity and Jane S. Moynahan, both of Milton.
 - 18 David A. Howes of S. Chatham and Phyllis L. Dickey of Milton.
 - 24 Joseph B. Donovan of Brookline and Joan M. Thurston of Milton.
 - 24 George A. Baker and Marie C. Mersch, both of Milton.
 - 24 John P. Hayes of Norwood and Marjorie A. Dooley of Milton.
 - 24 John H. Shea of Boston and Regina M. Connelly of Milton.
 - 24 Richard S. Hayes, Jr. of Alabama and Constance M. Leonard of Milton.
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- Oct.
- 1 Robert S. Turco of Winthrop and Shirley A. Pelletier of Milton.
 - 1 Ernest L. Scheyder of Medford and Ruth L. Ziegler of Milton.
 - 1 James H. Newman of Milton and Mary E. Sigsworth of Boston.
 - 1 John A. Norton and Judith A. Olson, both of Milton.
 - 1 Paul M. Lyons, Jr. of Milton and Barbara A. Hickey of Randolph.
 - 1 John R. Allsopp of Quincy and Joan M. Manning of Milton.
 - 4 Irving Shear of Milton and Frances D. Berkall of Boston.
 - 8 Brendan P. Ryan of Braintree and Arlene M. Kelly of Milton.
 - 8 Herbert N. Hardy of Newton and Ellen V. Smith of Milton.
 - 8 Thomas V. Cartolano of New York and Patricia M. Schwarze of Milton.
 - 8 James A. Goggin of Boston and Ruth G. Crowley of Milton.
 - 8 Charles J. McCawley and Phyllis A. Cronin, both of Milton.
 - 8 Robert Driscoll and Mary Will, both of Milton.
 - 8 Elisha F. Lee of Vermont and Harriet Burgin of Milton.
 - 9 Harold Noris of Milton and Rose DiBari of Boston.
 - 9 Roy E. Prout of Milton and Wanda (Wypich) Gawlinski of Boston.
 - 14 George F. Moulton, Jr. and Barbara H. Blackwood, both of Milton.
 - 15 Robert Kilduff of Boston and Joan Fitzpatrick of Milton.
 - 15 Eugene Connors of Milton and Mary J. Duggan of Boston.
 - 15 John P. Whalen of Boston and Arlene F. Dennehy of Milton.
 - 15 Festus J. McDonough of Boston and Marilyn A. Driscoll of Milton.
 - 15 Zygmunt Onacki of New Hampshire and Joan M. Nevins of Milton.
 - 15 Robert E. House and Dorothy J. MacKinnon, both of Quincy.
 - 15 LeRoy W. Higgins of Quincy and Jean L. Marshall of Milton.
 - 15 Francis X. Hufnagel and Elizabeth Argus, both of Boston.

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- 15 Charles J. Luna and Rita E. Espinola, both of Boston.
 - 22 John R. Welch and Elsie M. McCloskey, both of Milton.
 - 22 Paul Flanagan of Westwood and Jean Harvey of Milton.
 - 22 Donald X. Tynan of No. Easton and Alice M. Cataldo of Boston.
 - 22 William Foran of Newton and Imelda A. Tangney of Milton.
 - 22 John W. Agnew, Jr. of Milton and Elaine E. McDonnell of Boston.
 - 22 Joseph J. Venuti of Milton and Sarah F. Mason of Canton.
 - 23 Richard L. Delaney of Boston and Joan M. Ford of Milton.
 - 23 Joseph A. Galvin of Milton and Anna Kuzmuk of Boston.
 - 23 Victor A. Theodos of Boston and Anne Morissette of Milton.
 - 23 Robert A. McLellan, Jr. of Milton and Joan M. Wheeler of Boston.
 - 23 Paul J. Walsh and Barbara R. Lockhart, both of Milton.
 - 23 Selby Knight and Helen A. Merritt, both of Kingston.
 - 28 Nicholas T. Murphy of Milton and Ann (Tourles) Fitiles of Arlington.
 - 29 Odd Andersen of Milton and Natalie U. Joyce of Newton.
 - 29 John J. Foley of Milton and Doris M. Kobs of Dedham.
 - 29 Walter C. Schumb and Susan A. Bridges, both of Milton.
 - 29 George A. Skinner and Sandra T. Sweeney, both of Milton.
 - 29 James F. Leary and Andrea F. Kerr, both of Milton.
 - 30 Sherman H. Miller of Boston and Lois N. Berkowitz of Milton.
 - 30 Kenneth S. Gosselin of Quincy and Carol McGarry of Milton.
- Nov. 4 Neil Hebb and Lois M. Whelpley, both of Milton.
- 4 Thomas T. N. Irwin, Jr. of Milton and Estelle M. Bennett of Weymouth.
 - 5 James A. Flett and Dorothy A. Johnson, both of Milton.
 - 5 James M. Flavin of Boston and Phyllis J. Malone of Milton.
 - 6 John J. Williams of Boston and Joan H. Schan of Milton.
 - 11 John J. Drummey of Milton and Margaret B. Quinlan of Cambridge.
 - 12 Francis Cullen of Milton and Kathleen Maloney of Boston.
 - 12 Arman J. Del Pico of Braintree and Gloria J. Bortolotti of Milton.
 - 12 George E. McCarthy and Mary E. Lorden, both of Milton.
 - 12 Robert Swanton of Milton and Elizabeth A. Loggie of Medford.
 - 18 Charles M. Flight of Milton and Jacqueline V. Gardner of Quincy.
 - 19 Earl MacKenzie, Jr. of Milton and Marilyn D. Locke of Weymouth.
 - 19 Warren F. Martell of Quincy and June T. Griffin of Milton.
 - 20 James P. Coady of Boston and Florence E. Discepolo of Milton.
 - 26 John J. Joyce of Randolph and Joan M. McElwin of Quincy.
 - 26 A. Joseph Tosti of Concord and Bernice E. Chase of Milton.
 - 28 Francis J. Espie of Townsend and Edythe (Mair) Whitcomb of Milton.
 - 27 Matthew Kaizer of Milton and Mary Sue Holzwasser of Newton.
- Dec. 3 Robert L. Peterson of Milton and Helene M. Nelson of Arlington.
- 4 Charles W. Sumner of Milton and Jacqueline A. Gordon of Boston.
 - 10 George H. Hall and Muriel G. (Shaw) Ritchey both of Milton.
 - 10 Orville J. Rothrock of Arlington, Va. and Ann Henry of Milton.
 - 10 Frederic Gross of Milton and Barbara Decker of Braintree.
 - 10 Donald L. Wallace and Anne T. Shinney both of Milton.
 - 18 Stanley I. Berman of Worcester and Eileen Lightman of Milton.
 - 21 James L. Truslow, Jr. of Beverly and Pauline Hibbard of Milton.
 - 23 George J. Welker of Mt. Union, Pa. and Norma J. Duke of Milton.
 - 24 Robert F. Daniell and Barbara Elaine Elworthy, both of Milton.
 - 24 Samuel E. Biondi of New Britain, Conn. and Mary L. Johnstone of Milton.
 - 26 Dale Button of Canisteo, N. Y. and Eleanor L. Mahoney of Milton.

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- 26 Gildo Alfano and Elizabeth A. Polaski, both of Milton.
 28 Thomas G. Foley and Virginia M. Donahue, both of Milton.
 30 Francis H. Hagan of Somerville and Dorothea L. Shanney of Milton.
 31 David V. Keelan of Dedham and Marjorie A. McCarty of Milton.
 31 James J. Hamrock of Boston and Sheila C. Moore of Milton.

DEATHS

The whole number of deaths registered in the town of Milton for the year 1955 was 301 as follows:

Date	Name	Years	Months Age	Days
Jan. 6	Nancy Jane Lunt	24	—	30
6	Louise J. Thayer	82	8	6
6	Lincoln Bryant	80	—	—
8	Elizabeth Ogar	69	—	—
8	John Charles MacDonald	83	—	4
8	William F. Cunniff	63	4	14
8	William Wise	83	—	—
9	Susan Hill	85	—	—
11	Catherine Foley	79	—	—
12	Henry Weston Earle	63	—	27
13	Charles Kelley	69	8	17
14	Philip J. Smith	77	—	—
14	Arthur Donald Ross	88	—	27
16	John A. Riley	51	—	—
19	Elizabeth Dowling	66	7	13
20	Hilda Lira	76	—	—
20	Florence MacDonald	79	4	14
21	Alfred J. Ellsworth	86	5	26
21	Drusilla Day Ridlon	80	—	12
22	Margaret J. May	87	—	—
22	Baby Girl Donohue	—	—	4
24	Elmer G. Derrah	79	5	24
24	Ellen E. Haigh	77	—	—
25	Lena Reissmann	83	—	—
25	Brian Mason	—	—	1
25	Margaret Dailly	74	—	—
26	Benjamin W. Adams	56	9	4
26	Walter A. Mitsch	65	—	—
27	Jeanie G. Drever	79	—	—
28	Daniel J. Murray	52	—	—
28	Helen C. Loud	66	2	25
Feb. 1	Anna K. Kendrick	80	1	3
3	Eleanore Richardson	56	—	—
4	Clayton L. Kemp	56	—	—
5	John W. Jones	67	—	—
6	Mary Grace Steele	83	—	—
6	Henrietta Gardner	81	—	—

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Date	Name	Years	Months Age	Days
	8 Annie M. Keefe	85	11	23
	8 Nancy Jean Rothwell	—	—	1
	9 Annie Maiden	67	3	25
	9 Mary I. Fairbank	92	9	25
	11 Michael F. Curran	84	—	3
	12 Anna Mary Bird	93	—	—
	13 Reginald L. Robbins	79	2	8
	14 Bertha Wesselhoeft Swift	86	10	18
	16 Francis Aieta	74	—	—
	16 William James Allison	89	4	28
	18 Joseph W. Dugan	27	5	10
	19 Thomas J. Bannin	72	—	—
	19 Daniel J. Donovan	59	—	—
	20 Rose M. Reddington	79	—	—
	22 Agnes C. Freethy	88	6	22
	25 Ellen E. Lyons	87	—	—
	25 Karen Zaslav	1	6	—
	25 Joseph Hannon	90	5	—
	25 Ernest E. Nickerson	73	5	29
	27 George A. Robinson	74	—	—
	28 Margaret Agnes Johnston	60	5	—
Mar.	1 Mary Parks	61	11	16
	1 John Mullaney	65	—	—
	2 Mary A. Killian	88	—	—
	3 Ida E. Hibbard	82	—	—
	3 Helen Pearson Margesson	82	—	16
	3 Louise Fitzgerald	62	—	—
	11 John Harris	70	—	—
	11 Mary E. Messenger	86	—	—
	11 Dalis Villard	59	—	—
	12 William S. Nickerson	52	11	2
	12 Jessie E. Hart	70	—	—
	13 Edith B. Gooding	75	5	2
	14 James George MacDonald	77	6	7
	14 Florence V. Smart	65	—	—
	17 James Walsh	82	—	—
	18 Bertha Bradford Smith	61	3	—
	19 Raymond A. Holub	57	—	—
	19 Mary E. Connell	75	—	—
	19 Mary Frances Young	91	1	25
	19 Maud Hartford	80	5	25
	20 Josephine Hall	82	7	5
	21 Sarah Crapo Whittier	87	3	5
	21 Harold L. Goddard	61	9	11
	25 Olive E. Mackin	59	—	—
	25 Charles A. Schell	65	4	5
	26 Janet Lane	47	11	18
	27 George E. Libby	55	—	—

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Date	Name	Years	Months Age	Days
29	Anna M. Cull	54	—	—
29	Alan L. Hill	49	7	9
Apr. 4	John J. Fell	67	—	—
4	Florence Kimball	85	—	3
5	Ross N. Dukeshire	74	7	16
6	Melano Guarino	57	—	—
6	Evelene M. Stanford	53	—	—
9	William H. Lowney	80	11	21
10	Theodore McGowan	70	—	—
10	Rose Saraf	65	—	—
11	Dennis H. Carroll	81	—	—
11	Frank A. Gendreau	83	—	—
12	Peter Olson	82	5	—
13	Baby Boy Bulens			20 min.
14	William R. Driver, Sr.	83	3	13
15	Fred Allen Richards	77	5	24
15	Sarah Hadaway	59	—	—
15	John E. Elwood	72	—	—
16	Edwin F. Jordan	80	8	27
16	Arthur P. Maguire	34	8	12
17	Anna Michaud	83	11	7
23	Asa H. West	85	6	7
23	John Balconi	57	—	—
23	Anders Martin Anderson	36	2	14
26	Frank Russo	56	—	—
28	Carmelina Persico	67	—	—
28	Solomon Steinman	58	—	—
30	Nettie M. Creed	77	—	—
May 1	Jeremiah C. Carroll	61	—	—
4	James F. Dickson	59	4	13
5	A. Dorothy Snow	58	3	8
6	Marion E. Hayes	60	—	—
6	Wanda M. Banks	67	—	—
7	William H. Stewart	79	8	13
8	Alice Thaw Whitney	75	4	6
10	Carrie E. Palmer	81	8	12
11	Carrie Winslow MacFarlane	87	10	4
11	Katherine Rodman Peabody	78	4	8
11	Margaret B. Bodfish	57	—	—
11	Walter E. Casey	30	10	18
12	Abraham Yakus	64	—	—
12	Emma A. Kussmaul	75	9	16
12	William H. Marsden	62	—	—
12	Isidore Quint	64	—	—
15	Ernest H. Davis	65	10	17
15	James F. Ballard	76	6	26
16	Edward R. Houghton	84	—	—

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Date	Name	Years	Months Age	Days
	16 Leonard E. Littlefield	81	—	—
	17 Edythe A. Blankenship	61	—	—
	20 Catherine A. McLoughlin	65	—	—
	24 Leona Goodman	85	10	20
	26 Charles J. Duffy	87	10	—
	27 Florance Sullivan	68	—	—
	28 John Manning	94	—	—
	29 Susan A. Lynch	78	—	—
June	2 Thomas P. Comer	75	10	23
	7 William L. McGuire	66	—	—
	7 Arthur F. McNaughton	62	—	—
	8 Bridget A. Curley	47	—	—
	13 Mary M. Wolfe	66	—	—
	13 Irene LeBlanc	47	—	—
	14 Gertrude Craig	76	1	4
	14 Jessie Fogel	58	—	—
	18 Henry J. Gallagher	69	—	—
	20 George Nelson Armitage	64	—	—
	20 Sylvester L. Donahue	68	—	—
	21 Ray W. Tripp, Jr.	39	5	13
	21 Hyman Schwartz	70	—	—
	25 May E. Nash	68	5	17
	25 Charles Albert Smith	52	3	24
	25 Catherine V. Dorsey	74	—	—
	29 Ellen Quinn	88	—	—
	30 Joseph L. Dooley	61	10	28
July	4 Lillian S. Hare	82	11	—
	5 Esther Macey	72	—	—
	5 Harry Phelps	70	—	—
	5 Louise Morrissey	84	11	8
	6 Walter Swain Hinchman	75	9	23
	6 Maude E. Woods	61	—	—
	7 Charlotte R. McElwain	53	8	16
	7 Rosamond Peabody Hamlin	75	—	—
	8 Margaret M. Driscoll	70	—	—
	8 Alice Baker Stelzell	82	10	21
	8 Elenora Holbrook	83	1	17
	11 Thomas F. Lombard	69	—	—
	12 Camille B. Fuller	59	6	2
	13 Carl Wallace Weixler	83	—	—
	14 Mabel Hewins	77	6	21
	15 Andrew Edward Crowley	87	—	—
	16 Catherine A. O'Brien	96	—	—
	17 Elizabeth Mackell	72	—	—
	18 Catherine E. Olsen	65	—	—
	19 Charles Patrick Matthews	56	7	19
	21 Margaret Waters Thompson	75	—	—

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Date	Name	Years	Months Age	Days
	21 Fred H. Kelliher	54	10	30
	23 Albert John Tivnan	57	8	25
	24 Baby Girl Walsh			1 hour
	26 Robert F. Driscoll	29	8	27
	29 Zadoc F. Brewster	83	8	—
	29 Thomas H. O'Toole	58	5	21
	30 Charles Fessenden Morse, Jr.	67	9	7
Aug.	1 John D. Anderson	41	2	20
	1 Marie E. Hopfgarten	81	6	23
	3 Lillian Adelaide Reid	75	4	8
	5 George H. Cameron	62	4	17
	8 William H. MacDonald	66	—	—
	10 Edward Gibbons	59	—	—
	11 Margaret M. O'Neill	86	—	—
	13 Charles C. Copeland	84	2	11
	15 Michael Asmanides	69	—	—
	16 Anna T. McCloskey	81	—	—
	16 Meredith Sawyer		32 hours	
	17 Cordelia L. Hurd	83	6	22
	17 Ella Melzard	68	—	30
	17 Samuel J. Sweetland	82	3	—
	21 Emma D. Murch	79	1	27
	21 Arthur E. Crozier	65	11	10
	22 Florence Reynolds	76	—	—
	25 Robert Lovejoy Raymond	81	6	12
	25 Augustine J. Long	76	3	4
	25 James Lowe Deering	18	2	9
	26 Ernest Victor Suter	60	7	20
	27 Lawrence Stanton Bearse	76	7	25
	29 Thomas P. Hill	36	10	12
	31 Kate Eliza Potter	84	2	22
Sept.	2 William Henry Stanton	96	4	—
	2 Jacob Rosenberg	49	—	—
	4 Christy Ann MacLeod	73	8	5
	5 Harry Stearns	56	—	—
	7 Jane A. Semerjian	75	—	—
	7 Richard Justin Kearney	23	1	20
	9 Sarah Beck	71	—	—
	9 Thomas E. Walker	68	—	—
	11 George M. Whittamore	61	6	24
	13 Elizabeth M. Amoroso	67	9	7
	16 Mary L. Ball	61	11	19
	19 Gustaf Jacobson	73	9	6
	20 Patrick F. Conlon	71	—	—
	21 Alice H. Keefe	60	1	3
	21 Thomas Watson	79	4	13
	27 Ernest W. Parker	74	7	—

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Date	Name	Years	Months Age	Days
	29 Dominick Thomas Quigley	66	6	2
	29 Mary J. Hegner	93	—	—
	30 John J. Eccleston	73	—	—
	30 Agnes E. Campbell	60	—	—
Oct.	3 Margaret M. Englehardt	75	—	—
	5 John G. O'Neill	60	—	—
	5 Beatrice H. Kelley	58	—	16
	8 Joseph Guaraldi	51	4	—
	8 Stella Miller	36	—	—
	9 Cabot Stevens	18	8	—
	10 Mona Jean Sevieri		1/2 hour	
	12 Sarah H. Reed	97	—	—
	14 Catherine W. Callahan	86	—	—
	14 Pearl Slatnick	73	—	—
	15 Mary F. Donnelly	75	—	—
	15 Giulio Castello	75	—	—
	16 David A. Nord	19	11	29
	17 Mary E. Wall	85	—	—
	17 Irving F. Whiting	58	—	—
	17 Frederick A. English	45	5	8
	18 Marian A. Mahoney	50	—	—
	20 John M. Murray	61	—	—
	20 Emma Stuart Allbright	94	10	4
	22 Florence Phinney	66	4	23
	22 Margaret E. Buckley	79	—	—
	? Dora Gordon	62	—	—
	29 Francis J. Gannon	60	—	—
	31 Ellen G. Baker	83	—	—
	31 Elmer J. Kingsland	64	4	8
Nov.	3 William V. Murdock	85	7	18
	4 Henry H. Friese	67	0	0
	4 Elisa Pescia	71	—	—
	5 Francis J. O'Hara	78	—	—
	5 Michael John Morris	75	—	—
	6 Baby Girl Sullivan			51 min.
	6 Baby Girl Sullivan		1 hour	19 min.
	8 Mary G. Hobbs	84	2	18
	11 Howard L. Crossman	62	5	22
	11 John J. Ryan	74	—	—
	14 Elizabeth G. Hardy	84	—	—
	15 Morris Sostek	65	—	—
	16 Robie Francis Parker	65	8	27
	17 Emma Jacobsen	78	11	16
	20 Bertha Blondell	70	3	15
	20 Christine A. Montle	68	—	—
	22 Catherine M. Golden	91	4	—

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Date	Name	Years	Months Age	Days
23	Matilda Repasky	85	4	5
23	Louise Burley	78	3	19
24	Dorothy Worrall Proctor	67	2	27
26	Richard Maher	57	—	—
29	Elma L. Goodwin	53	2	20
30	Louis A. LaPorta	75	—	—
30	Baby Girl Campot	—	—	1
30	Edna Park	65	1	—
30	Josephine F. Wells	83	3	15
Dec. 2	Eliza Emerson	85	20	—
3	Lobetta Phelan	70	—	—
9	Mildred Fleming	53	—	—
10	Mary A. McPartlan	66	—	—
13	Elizabeth Robbins	75	4	27
15	Robert Enholm	17	—	—
15	Leonora Hamilton	61	0	1
15	Baby Boy Campbell		55 min.	
16	Carl R. Horne	73	—	17
19	Thomas S. Urquhart, Jr.	62	6	19
20	Samuel Goldman	65	—	—
22	Lewis A. Pendis	75	—	—
24	Joseph Paul Elliott	54	10	—
25	Mary A. Doyle	73	—	—
26	Joseph H. Kaes	30	—	—
26	Donald Robinson	17	7	29
26	Frederick Holt	26	—	—
28	Patrick Hayes	80	—	—
31	Robert J. Lowney	74	—	—
31	Mary F. Leary	50	—	—

REPORTS OF
SPECIAL COMMITTEES

REPORT OF COMMITTEE APPOINTED UNDER ARTICLE 44 OF THE 1955 MARCH MEETING WARRANT TO STUDY SITUATION RESULTING FROM CONSTRUCTION OF UNDERPASS IN EAST MILTON

As the underpass has not been completed, this report necessarily is in the nature of a preliminary one. However, after careful study, we are of the opinion that the East Milton area is not suited to becoming a shopping center designed to attract customers from a distance like the Shopping World in Framingham or the Chestnut Hill center. This is for at least two reasons: First, the residents of East Milton strongly oppose any extension of the business area; and Secondly, the location and traffic facilities would not encourage its use by people from a large enough area to make it practical. Therefore, we have approached the problems with the premise that it is desirable to preserve East Milton as a local shopping area with most of its customers being from Milton and the Lakin Square area of Quincy. With this in mind we have reached some conclusions upon which to make recommendations.

1. Immediate steps should be taken to be sure all available space along westerly side of Granite Avenue as far down as the original land taking permits is set aside for parking and is not isolated in any way by curbing and that it be rough finished as soon as practicable.

2. Parking be limited to two hours on all streets within one block of the business area including any parking area created by Expressway and that parking on both sides of Adams Street from the Post Office to Mechanic Street be limited to one hour.

3. The Commonwealth has widened Adams Street from Brook Road to the Post Office and will widen Adams Street in connection with Expressway by taking land from fire house lot. Quincy has applied for a Chapter 90 widening of Adams Street from Furnace Brook Parkway to Milton line. If and when this is completed, it will leave about three blocks of Adams Street unimproved. We feel that there is a great likelihood that if before too long the town does not initiate action of a widening of about 15 feet which would be under town control with a chance for affected owners to make their views known, the Commonwealth will undertake to do it as was done from Brook Road to Post Office with little chance for local adjustments.

4. We do not feel we can recommend a parking space on the Warshaw property at the present time at the cost estimated at this year's town meeting. Moreover, if the town saw fit to provide a parking area in East Milton, in all fairness other business centers would also be entitled to parking at town expense which would involve even more money. While such a parking space may be desirable, we do not feel it is so essential as to require town action. The chief difficulty has been traffic congestion and all day parking on side streets. Careful measurements of available land show space for not less than 50 cars on Expressway side of Granite Avenue from Adams Street to opposite Wood Street if available land is suitably graded and paved. In addition parking parallel to curbs now banned at various places will become available on completion of underpass including area in front of Post Office which is now completely blocked off. There is also available the old First National parking lot and the old Woodward lot backing up against the Savings

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Bank parking lot which if acquired by the town would provide a lot with much better access to through streets and without taking land of an unwilling seller.

5. The business area should not be extended at this time but there are certain residences so completely surrounded by traffic that their sale in the future at any reasonable return to the owners would have to be for business purposes. Take, for example, the two houses now surrounded by the new traffic circle. With this in mind we would suggest the Planning Board and the people affected give the matter consideration now before a demand for a change without time for careful consideration is made.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN H. BOWIE
EDWARD J. FINERTY
JAMES B. MAGUIRE
LEO V. CONCANNON
ROLAND GRAY, JR., Chairman

Note:

John H. Bowie wishes to be recorded as dissenting to recommendation No. 4 relative to parking space.

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE APPOINTED UNDER ARTICLE 55 OF THE 1955 MARCH MEETING WARRANT

November 1, 1955

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

This is the report of the committee appointed under Article 55 of the warrant of the March 1955 meeting.

Under the article the committee was directed: First, to study and report on the need for office and other space by the several departments of the Town; and, second, to determine the extent to which and the manner in which the Vose School should be used for such purpose.

Investigation

With reference to the first aspect of its task, the committee requested and received from all the Town departments statements as to their needs for space. Thereafter individual members of the committee conferred with the various department heads and viewed the present office facilities located in the Town Hall and Thacher Building.

The committee found that certain of the Town departments are inadequately quartered at the present time. These consist of the Town Accountant, the Town Treasurer and Tax Collector, the Sewer Department, the Board of Public Welfare and the Warrant Committee.

The office of the Town Accountant is located in the Thacher Building and is 10 x 14 feet in dimension. Since 1937 it has also been the office of the Board of Retirement. It is also used by the secretary of the Warrant Committee and by the Park Department for its clerical work.

Since there is no vault space in the office, the records of the Town Accountant are stored in the vault of the Town Engineer, in a vault in the basement of the Central Fire Station, in the Town Hall, and in the storage room of the Thacher Building. This arrangement is inconvenient, inefficient and an imposition on the other departments.

If the Town Accountant were provided with other suitable space, the present office could be used by the Town Engineer, whose department it adjoins.

The office of the Town Treasurer and Tax Collector is located in the Town Hall. Since last March the positions of Treasurer and Collector have been combined. There are five employees working in the office. The nature of the work requires an unusual amount of office equipment, including files and business machines. The present lack of facilities was described by a Commonwealth of Massachusetts accountant on a recent visit as follows: "Trying to carry on the activities of these two departments in the present quarters is just plain ridiculous."

If other suitable space were provided for the Town Treasurer and Tax Collector, the present office could be used by the Board of Public Health, which is presently located in the Milton Hospital, but may be required to move in the near future because of the need by the hospital for the space now occupied by it.

The Sewer Department is located on the third floor of the Town Hall and its

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quarters are inadequate and inefficient considering the number of its personnel and the amount of office equipment and records required to be maintained by it. If other space were provided for this department, its present space could presumably be used by the new Veterans' Benefits Department, which it is understood is to be established in 1956.

The Board of Public Welfare is located in the basement of the Town Hall and presently occupies 657 square feet of space. Its office is below street level on the north side of the building. The quarters are damp, inadequately lighted and poorly ventilated and not suited nor adequate for proper placement of equipment. There is no storage space and there is insufficient privacy for the agents and social workers when interviewing clients.

The Warrant Committee has no space of its own. Its secretary shares space with the Town Accountant. When the committee meets, it uses the space of the Building and Wire Department and the Fire Chief. This involves complete rearrangement of the office furniture and equipment on the occasion of each meeting of the Warrant Committee.

Additional Space Requirements

In view of the foregoing, it is the opinion of the committee that the Town needs approximately 6,600 square feet of additional office and vault space. More specifically, the requirements are as follows:

	<i>Office Space</i>	<i>Vault Space</i>
Accountant	540 sq. ft.	130 sq. ft.
Treasurer and Tax Collector	1,124	248
Sewer Department	1,500	150
Board of Public Welfare	1,900	None
Warrant Committee	1,100	None

All the other Town departments can get along under present conditions, especially if the above departments are given other space.

Vose School Building

Having ascertained the needs of the various Town departments for office and vault space, the committee then proceeded to its task of determining the extent to which and the manner in which the Vose School should be used for this purpose.

The committee reviewed the reports of previous committees which have studied this problem, visited the Vose School, and then employed an architect to prepare plans for the needed office space in the Vose School at a minimum cost and with no structural changes. Such plans were prepared and are submitted with this report. The cost of carrying such plan into effect is estimated to be \$100,000. The major items of cost are for painting, rewiring, roofing, plumbing, new toilet facilities and new vault space.

After reviewing the plans and estimate, the committee was unanimous that the Town should not remodel the Vose School for office purposes.

If \$100,000 were spent to remodel the Vose School, it would still be an old building, unsuited for office purposes. The building is now about 70 years old and the average useful life of such a building is only fifty years.

While the estimate includes \$4,600 for roofing work, this figure does not con-

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template complete renovation of the roof. If the building is maintained for any length of time, it is reasonable to expect an additional large expenditure of money for complete renovation of the roof, including replacement of the copper and major repair of the slate roof.

The mechanical equipment in the building is obsolete and although the estimate includes \$5,300 for plumbing, \$7,500 for heating and \$7,060 for electrical work, additional future periodic expenditures for repairs and replacement would be considerable.

The plan calls for renovation of only part of the first and second floors of the building, leaving the remainder in its present condition.

Although but a small part of the building would be actually used, there would necessarily be added expense in maintaining the rest of the building. In addition to heating the used portion of the building to a normal temperature, it would be necessary to keep the remainder of the building heated to a temperature of at least 50 degrees to prevent excessive deterioration and to prevent drafts and heat loss in the used portion. The entire exterior of the building would have to be maintained. This would include the painting of an excessive number of window frames and sashes and also keeping the entire exterior masonry in good repair.

New Construction

The committee is unanimously of the opinion that the Town should provide the additional office space needed by new construction. This construction could take the form of an addition to the Town Hall or an entirely new building that would replace the Town Hall, Vose School Building and the Thacher Building.

An addition to the Town Hall can be built for \$110,000, and such an addition would be cheaper to operate and maintain than the Vose Building and would provide more efficient quarters for its town employees. Eventually, however, a modern Town Office Building should be constructed and the question seems to be whether the time has not now arrived for such a building. However, while the construction of a small modern addition to the Town Hall would be preferable to a remodeling of a huge, obsolete structure such as the Vose School Building, it would still be a temporary measure.

The permanent solution of the problem would be the construction of a simple, modern office building that would replace the Town Hall, the Vose School Building and the Thacher Building, and the question is now raised as to whether the time has not now arrived to construct such a building.

Appendices

Statements obtained from the Town departments as to their need for additional space, a plan for remodeling the Vose School Building, the estimate of cost for remodeling the Vose School Building, and a plan and estimate of cost of a possible addition to the Town Hall are on file in the office of the Board of Selectmen.

Conclusion

(1) The Town urgently needs an additional minimum of 6,600 square feet of office and vault space.

(2) The Vose School Building is obsolete in plan and construction and if remodeled at a cost of \$100,000 would be costly to operate and maintain.

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(3) New construction in the form of an addition to the Town Hall that would provide the needed additional space at a cost of \$110,000 would be a wiser investment.

(4) The operation and maintenance of three buildings — the Town Hall, Vose School Building and the Thatcher Building — is unwise from a long range planning point of view.

(5) The construction of a new, simple, modern office building, designed for expansion to take care of any eventual needs of the Town would be the wisest investment of all.

Recommendations

(1) That the Town appropriate the sum of \$5,000 in order to demolish the Vose School;

(2) That a new committee be appointed to study the manner in which the needs of the Town for additional space can be met by new construction and to bring in preliminary plans and estimates of cost;

(3) That the sum of \$5,000 be appropriated for the use of said committee.

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**REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE APPOINTED
UNDER ARTICLE 56 OF THE
1955 MARCH MEETING WARRANT**

January 18, 1956

This is the report of the Committee appointed under Article 56 of the Warrant of the March 1955 Town Meeting to study the housing and servicing of Town equipment, made as directed by vote of the Town, in conjunction with the study of the possible use of the Vose School Building for office and other space.

This Committee has submitted its report on the study of the Vose School Building under Article 55 and in it stated that it was unanimously of the opinion that additional needed office space should be provided by new construction.

The possibility of using the Vose Building for office space and for housing and servicing Town equipment has been considered as well as the use of the building for the sole purpose of housing and servicing of equipment. It is the unanimous opinion of the Committee that the Vose Building is entirely unsuited for either use.

The Town did not vote authority or funds necessary for the study of vehicle requirements other than in connection with the Vose Building study, therefore no specific recommendation is made except that if the Town wishes a study of the problem to be made a new committee should be appointed and provided with the necessary authority and funds, and that this study include the possible creation of a Public Works Department.

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REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON INSURANCE
APPOINTED UNDER ARTICLE 61 OF THE
TOWN MEETING HELD IN MARCH, 1955

November 30, 1955

The Honorable Board of Selectmen
Town of Milton
Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

Article 61 of the Warrant for the Annual Town Meeting held March 19, 1955, provided, and the Town voted as follows:

"ARTICLE 61. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Moderator to appoint a committee of three citizens to study, in consultation with the Town Insurance Advisor, the requirements of the Town of public liability and motor vehicle liability insurance coverage; to determine the amounts of such insurance coverage needed by the Town; to submit its recommendations for the best procedures in placing such insurance for the Town; the said committee also to prepare such Articles for the Warrant of the 1956 Annual Town Meeting as the committee believes desirable to carry out its recommendations; and to file its report and said Articles with the Board of Selectmen on or before November 1, 1955; and to act on anything relating thereto."

Acting on the vote, the Moderator appointed the undersigned, a Committee on Insurance, and the Committee herewith submits its Report. The Board of Selectmen extended the time for the filing of this Report to on or before December 1, 1955.

Public liability may be defined, for the purposes of this Report, as liability to the public based on negligence other than negligence in the operation of a motor vehicle. Within this definition would fall an injury caused by the careless removal of a tree, by the careless maintenance of a building, or by carelessly permitting ice to accumulate on a building. Public liability insurance may thus be defined to be a contract whereby the insured is protected, within the policy limits, from the expense of the defense or settlement (which term as used hereafter includes the expense of the payment of a judgment) of a claim arising from such negligence.

Motor vehicle liability may likewise be defined as liability to the public based on the negligent operation of a motor vehicle. So, motor vehicle liability insurance is a contract to protect the insured, within the policy limits, from the expense of the defense or settlement of a claim arising out of such negligence operation.

Fundamental to the problem of insurance is to consider in what areas the Town may be held liable for the negligent acts of its servants or agents. Because it is a municipal corporation, the Town is not liable for careless acts of some of its employees while it is liable for careless acts of others. In general, the Town is not liable for careless acts of its employees who are engaged in the gratuitous performance of strictly public functions imposed by mandate of the legislature or undertaken voluntarily by its permission, from which is derived no special corporate advantage, no pecuniary profits and no enforced contribution from individuals particularly benefited by way of compensation for use or assessment for betterments. Thus, while the Town is liable for accidents occurring in the operations of its Sewer and Water Departments, it is

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not liable for accidents occurring in the operation of the Police, Fire and School Departments, to select clear-cut examples. The Town is not liable for the negligent maintenance of its Town Hall if the Town Hall is used solely for public purposes. However, it does become liable if the Town Hall is let for hire on the ground that the property is not being used solely for a public use but is being used in part for profit. But where the income is insignificant, the dominating public character is unchanged so that there is no liability. Where to draw the line between a significant and an insignificant amount of income is a legal matter for Town Counsel.

In some cases the legislature has imposed liability where, otherwise, none would exist. For example, a town is liable by statute for defective streets, but, in the case of Milton, the limit of liability is \$4,000 for each accident.

The law for negligence of town officers and servants is complex. The problem in each case is not the rule of law but its application to a particular situation. This Committee has relied on a memorandum of Town Counsel with respect to the general principles involved. It will suffice to consider the insurance needs of the Town in the light of, first, negligent acts for which the Town is liable and, second, negligent acts for which it is not liable.

The Town is not liable for the negligent operation of a fire truck. If, on the way to a fire, a fire truck operated by an authorized member of the Fire Department injured a person because of its negligent operation, the injured person would have a claim against the operator of the truck as an individual, but would not have an enforceable claim against the Town. The injured person may sue the operator and would recover if the operator were found to have operated the vehicle negligently. Thus, even though the Town may not suffer any financial loss, its employee who operated the vehicle would be liable. Moreover, both the Town and the employee would be subject to the cost of defending the claim no matter what the outcome. By statute (G.L. [Ter. Ed.] Chapter 41, Section 100) the Town is required to indemnify a police officer or fireman to an amount not more than the amount recommended by the board or officer authorized to appoint police officers and firemen for expenses or damages sustained by him while acting as a police officer or fireman or incurred by him in the defense or settlement of an action brought against him for acts done by him while so acting. Although the statute is mandatory, it leaves scope for the exercise of discretion in the determination of the amount recommended. Thus, although one would expect that in most instances the fireman or police officer would be fully recompensed, there is no requirement that this be the case.

The Town may be held liable for the negligent operation of one of the vehicles of the Water Department. In that case, an injured person would have a claim against both the operator of the truck and the Town and could be awarded damages against both, although he could only enforce payment by one. Such insurance attaches to the vehicle so that anyone who operates the vehicle would be covered. The Town is not liable for the negligence of a policeman in the performance of his duties, but the Town would be liable if an employee of the Water Department in the course of his duties for that Department drove a police car negligently causing an injury. It is conceivable that in an emergency this situation might occur.

The Town, at present, carries bodily injury public liability insurance on buildings and operations of the Sewer and Water Departments in limits of \$50,000 each individual and \$100,000 each accident. The annual cost for these coverages is \$455.70. The Town now carries motor vehicle liability insurance on vehicles of the Water and Sewer Departments, with personal injury limits of \$50,000 each individual on the Water Department policy and \$25,000 on the Sewer Department policy, \$100,000 each accident and property damage limits of \$5,000 on both policies. The annual cost of this insurance

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is \$1,284.95. The Town carries a bodily injury public liability policy on the Town Hall and school buildings and the operations thereof with limits of \$50,000 for each individual and \$100,000 for each accident, at an annual cost of \$508.05. Finally, the Town also carries a steam boiler explosion policy which provides for periodic inspection of the Town's boilers and covers the Town's liability for property damage to both its own property and to the property of others, with limits of \$20,000 for each accident for low pressure boilers and \$100,000 for each accident for high pressure boilers; if claims for damages to Town property should fall short of the \$20,000 and \$100,000 limits in each case, the excess is available to cover the Town's liability for bodily injury and property damage to third persons. The Committee believes that, although this policy overlaps into the field of public liability insurance, it is a specialized form of insurance not within the scope of its inquiry.

The Committee has considered the reasons for and against the purchase of liability insurance as follows:

1. *Employee Relations:* With respect to a non-liability activity, the Town employee who, in the course of his Town duties, injures a person because of his negligence, can be held personally liable to the person injured, although the Town cannot be held liable. The Committee has been advised that this possibility is a matter of some concern to employees of departments, such as the Fire and Police Departments, engaged in such activities. Motor vehicle liability insurance on vehicles engaged in such a non-liability activity would protect that person from personal liability within the policy limits. Similarly, public liability insurance covering non-liability activities would protect the persons so engaged from similar personal liability.

On the other hand, as far as the Committee has been able to ascertain, no Town employee has been put to any expense on account of a claim for negligence against him arising out of his official duties and arising out of such a non-liability activity. In such cases, the defense of the claim has been undertaken at the Town's expense by Town Counsel and the employee has been reimbursed for any expense of settlement by the Town at a Town meeting. Hence, it appears that although an employee engaged in such activity may be liable for expense, as a practical matter, the expense has been assumed by the Town. However, it should be noted that, subject to the provisions of G.L. (Ter. Ed.) Chapter 40, Section 100, referred to above, there is no legal obligation on the Town to assume such expense and any obligation that exists is merely a moral one. Should the Town purchase insurance to cover such activities, it is, in effect, obligating itself to assume such expense during the period such insurance is in effect.

As to activities with respect to which the Town has no liability exemption, employee relations are not a problem. In this case, although both the employee and the Town would be liable for the employee's negligence, the Town assumes the sole financial burden of defense and settlement. An injured person, in such a case, would ultimately look solely to the Town for satisfaction; although, technically, he could collect a judgment against the individual.

2. *Expense of Defense:* Though the Town may not be liable for a claim, if it is named as a defendant, it must defend the claim. If insurance is purchased, the expense of defense as well as the expense of settlement (within the policy limits) is borne by the insurer.

3. *Insurance as an Invitation to Claims and Claim-mindedness:* The Committee believes that insurance coverage generally results in increased claims. This leads to increased insurance cost. The Town has had a remarkably few claims made against it and has been put to relatively little expense arising out of negligence. It is felt that the

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purchase of insurance by the Town to cover liability for negligence will possibly lead to a greater number of claims and greater overall cost.

The Committee is also aware that in recent years the number of claims and the aggregate amount involved has been steadily on the increase. This may result in increased claims being made against the Town irrespective of the existence of insurance.

4. *Exemption for liability:* At present, by the common law (non-statute law) of Massachusetts, a municipal corporation such as Milton is not liable for the negligent performance of many of its operations. The Committee feels that, although the reason for this statute may now be outmoded, it is a valuable asset to the Town.

5. *Change in Law:* The Committee has considered the fact that the exemption referred to in the preceding paragraph may be changed, either by legislative act or by judicial decision, so that the Town may become liable for the negligent conduct of operations for which formerly it was not liable. However, it is believed that if any such change occurs, the Town will have an opportunity then to examine its liability insurance in the light of such change, except, of course, if such judicial decision involves the Town.

6. *Practice of other Towns:* The Committee inquired of several towns in the vicinity of Boston their insurance coverage. Of the ten towns answering, seven carried motor vehicle liability insurance on all vehicles, including vehicles for the operation of which it was not legally liable, while two carried insurance on vehicles for the operation of which the towns were liable but did not carry insurance on other vehicles. One town insures police department vehicles, yet does not cover fire department vehicles. Only two of the ten carry public liability insurance on public buildings such as the Town Hall.

7. *Self Insurance:* Aside from its liability exemption as a municipal corporation, the Town is in a position unique from most insurance purchasers. Most individuals or corporations require insurance to provide protection from the possibility of becoming insolvent as a result of a large judgment or, in the case of fire insurance, from a large fire loss. The Town is not in this position, as it is unlikely that a judgment could be recovered against it which would cause its insolvency. A judgment or a claim would be reflected in the tax rate on the basis of about \$40,000 to \$1.00 per thousand of assessment based on current valuation.

8. *Validity of Waiver of Municipal Exemption:* Where the Town purchases insurance to cover exempt risks, the insurer agrees in the insurance contract that it will not raise the Town's exemption as a municipal corporation as a defense in any action brought against it. The Committee has been advised by Town Counsel that, in his opinion, there is a grave question as to whether a court in dealing with a case brought against the Town in the exempt area would not, as a matter of law, rule that the Town is not liable notwithstanding the fact that the defense of non-liability is not raised.

9. *Comparative Cost:* To determine comparative costs, the Committee obtained from Town Counsel and from the insurance carriers records as to claims paid on behalf of the Town during the period 1950-1954, inclusive, and compared this with estimates submitted by the Town Insurance Advisor as to the cost of the particular insurance coverage concerned. As insurance covers not only the cost of settlement of the claim, but also the cost of defense, the Committee arbitrarily estimated the cost of defense at 25% of the amount paid in settlement. Thus, if the settlement were \$100, the claim was estimated to have cost \$125.

The following statistics are based upon claims made, from which no payment

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results and, hence, do not reflect a cost attributable to claims made as to which no payment results.

In dealing with the subject of comparative cost, the Committee first deals with street defect liability (which is includable within the term "public liability" but which is considered here separately for convenience), public liability and, finally, motor vehicle liability.

(a) *Street Defect Liability*: There are about 67 miles of public streets in Milton for the maintenance of which the Town is responsible. At present, the Town does not carry insurance to cover its liability for defects in these streets. By statute, a Town is liable for defective streets, but Milton's liability is limited to \$4,000 for each accident. Town Counsel informed the Committee that the claims paid by the Town through his office for the period 1950-1954, inclusive, totaled \$394.35; allowing 25% for the cost of defense, \$98.59, for a total cost of \$493.94, or \$98.79 per year. The Town Insurance Advisor procured a bid for this coverage, with limits of \$5,000 for each individual and \$100,000 for each accident, at \$2,535 per year for personal injury insurance and \$750 per year for property damage insurance; a total of \$3,285 for both coverages.

(b) *Public Liability*: At present, the Town carries bodily injury liability insurance, with limits of \$50,000 for each individual and \$100,000 for each accident, on buildings and operations of the Sewer and Water Departments. This insurance costs \$455.70 per year. For the five-year period, 1950-1954, the insurer paid no claims on these coverages. Thus, the comparison is an annual insurance cost of \$455.70 against annual claims paid of zero. The Town would be liable for the negligent operation of these departments.

The Town carries bodily injury public liability insurance on the Town Hall and on the school buildings. The Committee has been advised by Town Counsel that the Town may be liable for the negligent operation of the Town Hall where the building is used in whole or in part to produce income to the Town. However, the Town Counsel further advised the Committee that, in his opinion, the Town is not liable for the operation of the school buildings notwithstanding the fact that the buildings may be used to produce income to the Town. The cost of this coverage is \$508.05 per annum, and, under the terms of the policy, the insurer has agreed that it will not raise the defense of the exemption of the Town from liability because of its status as a municipal corporation. For the period 1950-1954, inclusive, the insurer reported no claims paid. The comparison is an annual insurance cost of \$508.05 against annual claims paid of zero.

Comprehensive public liability insurance, covering all risks arising from the negligent maintenance of Town property or its negligent operations, excluding products liability (i.e. school lunches), liability for defective streets, and boiler explosion liability, with limits of \$50,000 for each individual and \$100,000 for each accident, would cost \$1,889.88 per year. This cost is to be compared with annual claims paid of zero. This would involve an additional yearly cost to the Town of \$926.14 because included in the figure of \$1,889.88 is coverage for the Water, Sewer and School Departments and the Town Hall.

(c) *Motor Vehicle Liability*: At present, the Town carries motor vehicle liability insurance on vehicles of the Sewer and Water Departments. This coverage is with bodily injury limits of \$50,000 for each individual and \$100,000 for each accident property damage limits of \$5,000. The annual cost to the Town for the three vehicles of the Sewer Department is \$359.82 and \$925.13 for the eight vehicles of the Water Department. The insurer reported that during the period 1950-1954, inclusive, \$106 was paid on behalf of the Town on account of the Sewer Department and \$586 was

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paid on account of the Water Department. To this total of claims paid should be added 25% to represent the cost of defense, or \$173, so that the total cost of claims is \$685 for the five-year period, or an average of \$216.25 per year. The comparison is an annual insurance cost to the Town of \$1,284.95 against annual claims paid of \$216.25.

With respect to vehicles, other than vehicles on which there was no insurance, other than vehicles of the Sewer and Water Departments, Town Counsel reported claims paid during the period 1950-1954, inclusive, of \$8,118.94. Of this figure, \$6,500.00 was paid as a result of an accident in which a Police Department vehicle was involved. That sum was appropriated at a Town Meeting pursuant to recommendations of Town Counsel and the Warrant Committee even though it was the opinion of both that the Town was not legally liable. Adding the 25% estimated to cover cost of defense, \$2,029.73, gives a total cost of \$10,148.67 for the five-year period, or an average of \$2,029.73 per year. An estimate submitted by the Town Insurance Advisor to insure those vehicles with bodily injury limits of \$25,000 for each individual, \$100,000 for each accident and property damage limits of \$5,000 was \$6,207.59 per year. The comparison is an annual insurance cost of \$6,207.59 against an annual claim experience of \$2,029.73.

Of the factors set forth above, the Committee has considered Exemption from Liability, Employee Relations and Comparative Cost to be the most significant. Whatever its ancient roots, the exemption of the Town from Liability for its negligence is a valuable asset and one which the Committee does not believe the Town should give up without very careful consideration. If the Town purchases insurance to cover these exempt risks, the insurer agrees that it will not raise the Town's exemption as a municipal corporation as a defense and, thus, in effect, by the purchase of such insurance the Town is waiving that exemption so long as the policy is in effect. As noted above, the Town Counsel has expressed doubt as to whether a court might not rule the exemption applies notwithstanding the fact that the defense was not raised. If this occurred, the premium cost which was based on the validity of the waiver would have been excessive in view of the risk involved.

The paramount reason and perhaps the only cogent one, for the purchase of insurance to cover exempt risks is to protect Town Employees. The Committee appreciated the position in which these employees are placed, but believes that in view of G.L. (Ter. Ed.) Chapter 41, Section 100 and the custom of the Town in the past to assume the expense of the defense and of the settlement of these claims, the fear and uneasiness of the employees exposed to such risks is based on a theoretical rather than a practical risk.

If the Town decides, in accordance with the Committee's recommendation, not to insure the exempt risks, the Committee wishes to emphasize most strongly that by so doing the Town has reaffirmed its undertaking to protect these employees from financial harm with respect to such exempt risks and is, in a moral sense, bound to do so.

A review of the comparative cost factor shows that, in all cases, the annual cost of the insurance is considerably in excess of the annual experience of claims paid, based on experience for the past five years.

As a result of these considerations, the Committee has determined and recommends that, except for insurance to cover the Town's liability for defective streets, the Town purchase public liability insurance with personal injury limits of \$50,000 each individual and \$100,000 each accident and motor vehicle liability insurance with personal injury limits of \$25,000 each individual, \$100.00 each accident, and property damage liability of \$10,000, to cover risks for which the Town may be liable. Though the experience of claims paid in this area is considerably less than cost of the insurance,

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the Committee believes that the exposure to liability and the risk of serious loss outweighs the disproportionate comparison. However, the Committee has determined and recommends that the Town decline to purchase public and motor vehicle liability insurance to cover activities of the Town for negligent conduct of which it is not liable. As the Town now carries public liability insurance on the School Department and as the Town is not liable for the negligent operation of this Department, this recommendation means that this coverage be cancelled. The Committee also has determined and recommends that the Town decline to purchase insurance to cover its liability for defective streets in view of the limitation of liability and the disproportionate comparison of cost to experience.

Implicit in this determination is the necessity for continuing study of the law of municipal exemption and the operations of the various Departments so that the Town may know for what activities it is or is not liable.

Based on present figures, about \$40,000 of appropriations equals a tax of \$1.00 per \$1,000 of valuation; or \$1,000 of appropriation equals 2½c on the tax rate. Using these figures, the cost of insurance discussed in the Report in terms of the tax rate is as follows:

<i>Insurance</i>	<i>Annual Cost</i>	<i>Cost on Tax Rate (approx.)</i>
<i>Insurance now carried:</i>		
<i>Public liability</i>		
Water and Sewer Departments	\$ 455.70	1¼c
School Department and Town Hall	508.05	1¼c
Total	\$ 963.75	2½c
<i>Motor vehicle liability</i>		
Water and Sewer Departments	1,284.95	3 c
Total	1,284.95	
Total cost of insurance now carried	\$2,248.70	5½c
<i>Insurance not now carried:</i>		
<i>Public liability</i>		
Street defect	\$ 3,285.00	8 c
Comprehensive (excluding Sewer, Water and School Departments and Town Hall)	926.14	2½c
Total	\$ 4,211.14	10½c
<i>Motor vehicle liability</i>		
All vehicles except Sewer and Water Departments	6,207.59	15½c
Total	\$6,207.59	
Total cost of insurance not now carried	\$10,418.73	26 c

The Committee was instructed to submit its recommendations for the best procedures to be followed in placing public liability and motor vehicle liability insurance for the Town. The Committee understands that these types of insurance are purchased by the Town on a departmental basis. In other words, it is up to the head of each department to determine what insurance his Department should carry. The

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departmental budgets are then prepared to reflect the insurance desired and these budgets are reviewed by the Warrant Committee and are finally voted by the Town. The function of the Town Insurance Advisor is first, to advise the Department heads and the Warrant Committee as to the insurance coverage best suited for the Town, and second, to purchase for the Town such insurance as he may be instructed to purchase.

The scope of the Committee's investigation was limited to public and motor vehicle liability insurance. Besides this insurance, the Town is concerned with problems of fire insurance, boiler explosion insurance, workmen's compensation insurance, surety bonds for the public officials and other types of insurance. Thus, the Committee has been concerned with only a fraction of the insurance problems which the Town faces. It was impressed by the detail involved in the consideration of the narrow field within which it worked and believes that problems similar to the problems it studied must exist with respect to the other forms of insurance. With this in mind, the Committee recommends that there be appointed a permanent committee to study the Town's insurance problems and advise it with respect to its general insurance needs. In effect, this Committee would assume the first of the present functions of the Town Insurance Advisor. The second function of the Town Insurance Advisor should remain unchanged in that it should be through him that insurance be purchased for the Town. It is suggested that the permanent committee consist of three persons—two persons appointed by the Selectmen and one by the Moderator. It would be helpful if one were a member of the Bar and another a man experienced in insurance problems.

The Committee does not believe that it is necessary to have an Article in the Warrant with respect to the establishment of such a permanent committee. If it is considered that such Article is advisable, the Committee would be glad to submit its suggestions.

In conclusion, the Committee wishes to express its appreciation to the Town Insurance Advisor, Mr. John T. Rockwood, for the many hours which he had spent preparing estimates and other material for the Committee's consideration, and to Town Counsel, Frank B. Frederick, Esquire, for his advice and help with respect to the legal aspects of the Town's liability for negligence. Finally, the Committee was impressed by the excellent claim experience of the Town. The record for the past five years has been a remarkable one and it is due entirely to the care with which the Town's employees have carried out their duties. To them, the Town owes a vote of thanks.

Respectfully submitted,

LEON CANGIANO
JOHN T. KEYES
WALTER N. KERNAN, *Chairman*

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE APPOINTED
UNDER ARTICLE 65 OF THE 1955
MARCH MEETING WARRANT

To: The 1956 Annual Town Meeting,
Board of Selectmen, and
Warrant Committee

In March, 1955, the Annual Town meeting, for the third time, did not approve an addition to the Central Library building.

That same Meeting, after some hesitation, voted another study, the fourth, and the Committee appointed herewith reports.

(For Town Meeting Vote, see Appendix A, attached.)

The votes at these three Town meetings led us to the conclusion that a sufficient number of Town meeting members have believed either that no addition was needed or that each of the proposals was more elaborate and costly than required.

Essentially, the problem presented to this Committee can thus be resolved in this question: — Does the Central Library building of Milton need additional facilities properly to take care of the needs of its people, both young and adult and, if it does, how can these facilities be provided at a minimum initial investment and the least increase in annual operating cost?

Soon after appointment, we conducted a preliminary investigation of the Central Library building and its facilities.

To us, the building appeared to be deficient in the following respects: (a) unsuitable and consequently too little used facilities for the younger children, (b) inadequate reading room space for adults and young adults; (c) insufficient stack facilities, as evidenced by the filling of every nook and corner in the basement with books and periodicals; and (d) too small work space for the staff.

We also felt that the solidly constructed building would not readily nor inexpensively lend itself to major structural changes that might remedy conditions and that any steps in that direction appeared neither feasible nor desirable.

Inasmuch as four of us had only a layman's knowledge of libraries and did not possess any special qualifications in the highly technical field of what would constitute satisfactory library facilities for a town of the size and character of Milton, we decided that professional assistance should be obtained before we could arrive at a sound decision as to the need, if any, of additional library facilities for Milton.

The following outstanding authorities on Libraries in the Greater Boston area gave generously of their time and knowledge to a member of this Committee who sought their advice on a proper approach to the determination of the real requirements of the Milton Library:

Mr. Milton E. Lord: Director, Library Department, City of Boston.

Mrs. V. Genevieve Galick: Director, Massachusetts Division of Library Extension.

Mr. Keyes DeWitt Metcalf: Professor of Bibliography, Harvard University; Director, Harvard University Library; Librarian, Harvard College.

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Mr. Douglas Wallace Bryant: Administrative Assistant Librarian, Harvard College.

It was the consensus of these authorities that the Committee should secure the services of a qualified professional librarian to make a survey of the Milton Library and to report changes, if any, necessary to bring it to the proper standard for a town the size and character of Milton. Of the various Professional Librarians qualified to make such a survey, Mr. Philip J. McNiff, Librarian since 1948 of the Lamont Library, Harvard University, and John A. Humphry, Director since 1948 of the City Library, Springfield, Massachusetts, were recommended as the best qualified to make a survey of the Milton Library. Accordingly, to survey the Town's library system and to advise us, we engaged the services of Mr. McNiff and Mr. Humphry.

(For their qualifications, see Appendix B.)

We requested Messrs. McNiff and Humphry to make a completely objective study of the library facilities. We explained to them the recent proposals for an addition to the Central Library building and their reception at Town meetings. We also indicated that apparently from the wording of the 1955 Vote referring to a "suburban" library, an opinion existed that perhaps effort was being made unduly to expend the Library facilities in this Town on the basis of standards for a large metropolitan city instead of for a town of 25,000 inhabitants. Finally, we told them that if measures could be taken to alleviate crowded conditions for users, staff and books, and to improve reading room facilities for children and adults whereby no library addition would become necessary, such findings would be entirely satisfactory to us.

As an additional means of professional assistance (available to the Town without cost) the Committee invited Mrs. V. Genevieve Galick, Director of the Division of Library Extension in the State Department of Education and Miss Alice M. Cahill, the Division's Supervisor of Field Services, to conduct an independent survey of the Town's library facilities and to indicate deficiencies thereof, if any.

The 1955 Town Meeting Vote, directed this Committee, in part, to make a study of the Library requirements in relation "to the school system whose own library facilities are expanding." We understood this language to mean that we were to ascertain whether or not the plans and actions of the School Committee to provide expanded library facilities in the schools would reduce the dependence of the school children upon the Central Library.

At a conference between the members of the School Committee and us, with Dr. Owen B. Kiernan, Superintendent of Schools, in attendance, this subject was thoroughly explored and we were informed that any expanded program of school library facilities for the housing and reading of reference books and supplementary texts would, in the opinion of the school authorities, lead to a greater demand by the school children upon the Central Library than at present and increase the use of its facilities.

Late in the Fall, we received reports on the two surveys. They are comprehensive, specific in their observations and recommendations and in substantial agreement as to the needs of the Central Library.

(For report of Messrs. McNiff and Humphry, see Appendix C and for report of Mrs. Galick and Miss Cahill, see Appendix D.)

After study and thorough consideration of these reports, we accepted their findings as to the needs of the Central Library. We also accepted the specific recommendations of Messrs. McNiff and Humphry as to how these needs could best be met.

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The recommendations of Messrs. McNiff and Humphry were reviewed by Mrs. Galick who concurred with them, as is indicated by the following letter received by the Committee:

"Through the courtesy of General McSherry, I had the opportunity recently to read the survey of the Milton Public Library as prepared by Messrs. Philip McNiff and John Humphry.

"I should like to say here that I concur in all the basic recommendations made by these gentlemen. I believe that their recommendations and suggestions are sensible and sound and that they will not only solve the present overcrowded conditions there at the library but will make it possible to provide for the community in the future good library service in the modern sense of the term."

Sincerely yours,

(signed) V. GENEVIEVE GALICK

We then engaged the services of Shepley, Bulfinch, Richardson and Abbott, Architects and Engineers, to draw preliminary sketch plans to carry out the above recommendations. In addition, the architects prepared outline specifications and a professional estimate of costs. This firm had drawn plans for the three previous proposals and had, in fact, longer than one-half century ago, designed the existing building and was thus thoroughly conversant with the subject and in possession of all factual data. From the viewpoints of saving time and money we were fortunate in being able to call upon this firm for its services.

(For a list of libraries designed in recent years by Shepley, Bulfinch, Richardson and Abbott, see Appendix E, and for the professional background of Messrs. Joseph P. Richardson and James F. Clapp, Jr., associated therewith, see Appendix F.)

During the later phases of our study, we conferred with the Trustees of the Public Library and with the Planning Board, which Town Officers approved the plans we proposed to recommend.

We also conferred with Joseph J. O'Brien, Chairman and Miss Anne G. Shewell, Member, of the World War II Memorial Committee, as to the designation, after alteration and refurnishing, of the large room to the left of the front entrance to the Central Library as the "World War II Memorial Room" in commemoration of those citizens of the Town who lost their lives in that War. In this respect, our recommendation is similar to that of the previous committee, except that the Memorial Room would be to the left instead of to the right of the front entrance to the Library.

After most careful consideration of all factors concerned, we recommend the following:

The construction of an addition to the Central Library building and alterations to the present building and mechanical work and furniture and equipment in both, all together as shown in the survey report of Messrs. McNiff and Humphry (attached Appendix C, pp. 5-7 thereof) and in the preliminary sketch plans ((attached as Appendix G) and outline specifications (attached as Appendix H) submitted by Shepley, Bulfinch, Richardson and Abbot.

The budget required to carry out the above recommendation for new construction, alterations in present Library building, and equipment and furnishing in both — is as follows:

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1. CONSTRUCTION COST

A - New Addition	\$ 76,993
B - Alterations to present building	18,302
C - All mechanical work and book lift	42,000
D - Book stacks	9,300
2. SITE DEVELOPMENT	7,385
3. ARCHITECTS' AND ENGINEERS' FEES	16,000
4. FURNITURE AND EQUIPMENT	15,000
5. INCIDENTALS, CLERKS OF WORKS, etc.	6,000
6. CONTINGENCY	15,520
Total	<u>\$206,500</u>

In order to frame Articles embodying the above recommendation for inclusion in the Warrant for the 1956 Annual Town Meeting, we further recommend:

1. That the Town appropriate \$206,500 for the construction of the addition and alterations to the Central Library and for equipment and furnishings thereof.
2. That the Town appoint a building construction committee to procure necessary plans, specifications and bids for this proposed addition and alterations to the Central Library and equipment and furnishings thereof, and supervise the construction and equipment of same.

The estimated costs to carry out the plans for an addition to the Library as proposed at prior Town Meetings were as follows:

<i>Year Submitted to Town Meeting</i>	<i>Estimated Cost</i>
1953	\$385,000
1954	299,100
1955 (same plan as 1954 difference due to higher costs)	312,500

We believe that the addition and alterations to the Central Library now proposed will provide, for the present and for years in the future, all the facilities that are needed, — not less — not more, — at a moderate investment. A concentration of library services to the public, as provided by the recommended plan, will permit efficient utilization of personnel with the result that the annual increase in operating costs should be relatively small.

In a word, we think the plan provides for needed improvements in our Central Library on an economical basis.

We wish publicly to express our thanks to Messrs. McNiff and Humphry who gave of their skill, knowledge and time much more generously than could have been expected; to Messrs. Richardson and Clapp who enthusiastically and understandingly designed plans and furnished estimates of costs on a new and more economical basis; to Mrs. Galick and to Miss Cahill for their advice and for the benefits derived from their survey report; to Mr. Lord, Professor Metcalf and Mr. Bryant for their advice and assistance; to Mr. O'Brien and Miss Shewell of the World War II Memorial Committee for expressing their views; to the Library Trustees, particularly to their Chairman, Mr. C. Rodgers Burgin and to Miss Marjorie R. Shaw, Librarian, who attended several of our conferences and were most helpful in furnishing us with information; to Mrs. Katharine P. Jeffrey, School Librarian; to Mr. Kenwood M.

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Cappers and Mr. Harvey L. Chandler, the Library Custodians, whose departure for home was delayed many times on our account; to the members of the School Committee; to Dr. Kiernan; and to the Chairman and other members of the Planning Board; all of whom were most co-operative.

Respectfully submitted,

LOUIS P. MATHIEU, Chairman
EDWARD P. LAKE
FRANK J. McSHERRY
ELIZABETH S. SMYTH
EDMUND R. MITIGUY

January 20, 1956

Appendix A

1955 TOWN MEETING VOTE

VOTED: That the Moderator be authorized to appoint a committee of five persons to make a study of the requirements of a suburban library in relation to the needs of the Town and to the school system whose own library facilities are expanding, said Committee to report to the Warrant Committee and the Selectmen on or before November 1, 1955, and to the next Annual Town Meeting; and that the sum of \$2,500.00 be appropriated for the use of said committee.

Appendix B

EDUCATIONAL AND PROFESSIONAL BACKGROUND OF LIBRARY CONSULTANTS

PHILIP J. McNIFF

A.B., Boston College 1933; B.S., Columbia 1940
Student assistant Brookline Public Library 1926-33
Circulation assistant Newton Free Library, 1933-35
Librarian, West Newton Branch Library 1935-40
Head of Catalog Department, Newton Free Library 1940-42
Reference assistant, Harvard College Library 1942-43
Superintendent of the Reading Room, Harvard College Library 1943-48
Librarian, Lamont Library 1948 - to date
Assistant Librarian, Harvard College Library 1949 -
Member of the Faculty of Arts and Sciences 1954 -
Member: American Library Association, Massachusetts Library Association, New England Library Association, Eastern College Library Association, Boston Regional Group of Catalogers and Classifiers.
Director, Cambridge Center for Adult Education
Library consultant for surveys in Newton, Quincy, Winchester, and Corning, New York.
Editor: "Catalogue of the Lamont Library, Harvard College"; contributor to professional periodicals.

JOHN A. HUMPHRY

A.B., Harvard 1939; M.S., Columbia 1941
General assistant, Harvard College Library, 1939-40, 41-44
Assistant, New York Public Library, 1940-41

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Field service consultant, United States Office of Scientific Research and Development, 1944-46

Director of Processing, Enoch Pratt Library, Baltimore, 1946-48

Director, City Library Association, Springfield, 1948 - to date.

Member: American Library Association, Massachusetts Library Association, New England Library Association, Western Massachusetts Library Association.

Associate in Public Library Administration, Simmons College, 1952 to date

Member of the United Nations Association, Librarians Advisory Council 1948-50

Member of the Springfield Adult Education Council

Library consultant for surveys in Newton, Quincy, Winchester and Corning, New York

Contributor to professional periodicals

Appendix C

TO THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON THE LIBRARY

At the request of your committee this survey of the Milton Public Library has been made to assist you in determining the need for additional library facilities. At the outset the surveyors wish to thank the committee, the Librarian and the members of the library staff for their cooperation in this study.

I. Introduction

The present main library building, built in 1904, was quite adequate for the era in which it was constructed and has, in fact, stood the test of time much better than most of its contemporaries. Most library buildings of the early nineteen hundreds stressed the monumental rather than the functional aspects. High ceilinged reading rooms, thick inflexible outside walls, and multiple small rooms with permanent partitions made future changes expensive and frequently impossible. The present main library building, while inadequate, is not obsolete and could be utilized as the principal part of an enlarged central library.

After careful study we agree with the general statements in the October 30, 1953 and December 28, 1954 reports of the Special Library Committee appointed by the Town Meeting noting that,

- "(1) The present reading room facilities do not provide separate space for the separate needs of adults, teen-age groups and children;
- (2) The total available reading room space is inadequate;
- (3) The working space for the staff is too small;
- (4) The available room for storage of books is insufficient."

More advantageous use of space in the present building has been mentioned in previous reports particularly in regard to the use of the Art Exhibit Room and unused basement areas. Any plan to utilize the Art Exhibit Room for a reading area or for book storage would require new supporting beams and ought to include the extension of that floor over the present reference and childrens rooms. Such a plan would not take care of the future needs of the library, would be relatively expensive to carry out, and would result in serious interruption of library service for many months. The end result would not be satisfactory from a functional viewpoint and would destroy the architectural features of the two reading rooms. The probable reactions of the townspeople to such a plan would be hostile and damaging to the library. In addition, the art gallery serves a useful function in bringing to the attention of children and adults

cultural and educational exhibits; it affords local residents an opportunity to display their artistic talents.

A recent report of the Warrant Committee recommended that a proposed addition be deferred pending further study "on the aims and functions of a suburban library". Except for certain inadequacies in its Central Library building, the town of Milton has a good library system for a suburban community in the Metropolitan Boston area. It measures up to the American Library Association's standards in regard to book stock, size and quality of staff, the number of registered borrowers, and the number of books in circulation. The three library buildings are reasonably well located for present and future library service to the community and no new branches are recommended. A new children's room is to be opened in the East Milton Branch during the fall of 1956. Funds provided by gift to the library are financing this improvement. In the near future a children's room should be established in the Kidder Branch in order to complete the expansion of the Branch library program.

II. The Central Library Building

The Central Library building is not adequate. A library should not only collect materials needed but also it must organize its resources so that they are readily available. The lack of stack space in the Milton Library requires the storage of many adult and juvenile books in relatively inaccessible locations. This arbitrary and illogical arrangement seriously impedes the use of the library's resources. The lack of proper facilities for work with children and the inefficient processing operations due to lack of proper work space emphasize the need for expansion.

The introduction to the "Preliminary Statement of Revised Standards for Public Libraries", prepared during 1954 and 1955 by a committee of practicing librarians for the Public Libraries Division of the American Library Association, states "The public library has become an essential instrument of our common life. As a democracy, we make major public decisions through widespread citizen participation. The public library is at hand to provide free access for all to the reliable current facts, to the background of reasoned opinion, and to the deeper insights which enable public decisions to be wise as well as popular. As a free society, we strive to make opportunity for the good things of life widely shared. The public library stands at the community crossroads, serving not any single group, but young and old, rich and poor with the means of occupational growth and the enrichment of personal life in hours of leisure."

Milton must expand and modernize its Central Library building if it hopes to give first-class library service. Increasing school enrollments and the growing demands for supplementary reading in connection with the school curriculum require improved facilities for children both at the main library and the two branches. The continuing interest of the adult community in informal self-education as well as in recreational and cultural pursuits demands and warrants better library facilities.

In planning the expansion of the Central Library, it is well to keep in mind the following recommendation which appears in the American Library Association's recent *Public Library Service to America*: "The several sections of the library which readers use most frequently — book areas, reading areas, lending desk, catalog, information resources, and service stations — should be located as close together as possible. Similarly, the locations for receiving, processing, and cataloging materials should be inter-related and preferably on a single floor, and points for supervision of readers located for economical operation." The plans previously submitted call for too many separate rooms (Children's, Teen-age, School, Art and Music, Processing, Catalogue, Reference and Adult). Full time operation and supervision of these rooms would be expensive, the fifty-three foot stack which forms a connecting corridor between the old and the

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new buildings would present traffic and control problems. The segregation of the teen-age group and their orientation toward the children's room rather than toward the adult collection is not generally accepted practice.

The public rooms should be arranged for supervision at all times by the fewest possible attendants. To accomplish this it is proposed that all adult services be located on the main floor of the present building, with supervision from one control point, the present circulation desk. What is now called the circulation desk would in effect become a public service desk supplying circulation, reference, and advisory services for adults and young adults. Urgently needed stack space will be provided on this same level in an addition which is to be recommended. Service to children will be centered on the ground floor of the new unit and on the basement level of the present building. This concentration of services at two points will make more efficient use of the time and energies of the library staff and will best coordinate the services which the citizens of Milton can expect to receive from their public library.

III. Main Recommendation

That a new two-story building, containing approximately 5600 square feet of space, be added to the present Central Library. This unit should be of red brick and white trim of the same general pattern as the present building. The first floor of the addition would be on the basement level of the old building and is to be a children's room. Directly above the children's room on the same level as the main floor of the old building would be a stack floor. The building should be so constructed that a second stack level could be added at a later date.

The children's room in the proposed addition would provide space for some 24 readers at tables and for about 750 linear feet of shelving. The room should be equipped with furniture of varying sizes in order to take care of all age groups and arrangements should be made in one section of the room for story hours. If, at any time in the future, additional space were required for high school students during the evening hours, the junior high section of the children's room could serve as an auxiliary high school reading room. The work room area directly behind the control desk should house the picture and photograph collection. The 2800 square feet of space on the ground floor of the proposed addition is some 255 square feet less than was proposed for the children's area in the plan of October 21, 1953. The earlier plan called for 3055 square feet in an addition 58 feet by 45 feet, 6 inches, connected to the enlarged central stack area by a 24' 6" x 17" photograph and stack corridor.

The new stack area above the children's room would include a combined cataloging and processing room. This area is above the shipping entrance and should be connected to it by an elevator. The new work room would permit an orderly and efficient processing operation, its proximity to the service center of the library would enable the processing staff to assist the service staff whenever needed. Approximately 30,000 volumes could be shelved in the new stack area which also would provide seating accommodations for 10 people.

IV. Supplementary Recommendations

The proposed addition would necessitate a number of changes in the old building. We recommend that the basement floor of this building be opened up as much as possible back to the heater and periodical storage rooms. This area, which is adjacent to the new children's room, would contain stack storage and work room space for the school collection. A weather-protected loading platform should be constructed adjacent to the stack stairwell and the present inefficient hand book lift should be replaced

by a modern electric elevator. The public toilets should be modernized and the space underneath the terrace sealed off since this area probably contributes to the dampness on the ground floor and it might become a health menace. The present periodical storage room should be used for a staff room and emergency rest room for the general public.

On the main entrance floor of the old building, we recommend that the present reference room should be utilized as an adult reading room housing a popular reading collection. As previously recommended, this room should be designated as the "World War II Memorial Room" to commemorate the citizens of the town who lost their lives in World War II; a suitably inscribed plaque should be placed in the room. This room should be appropriately furnished and equipped to encourage the citizens to pursue reading interests which would further the cause of enlightened democracy, peace and freedom. It is further recommended that an annual exhibit be held showing books, photographs and related materials to commemorate the contributions of Milton citizens to the cause of peace. Standard 7' 6" high book shelves should replace the existing shelving; improved fluorescent overhead lighting should be installed, thus eliminating the need for table lamps; the chandeliers should be left for architectural effect.

The present children's room and the study room to the right of the main entrance would become the combined reference and young people's area. The opening to the study room from the main entrance hall should be walled in; the wall separating the two rooms should be removed, thus forming an open alcove. The shelving and lighting improvements recommended for the adult reading room should be duplicated in this area.

The Librarian's office should be moved across the hall to the present processing room where it would be adjacent to the vault. This location to the rear of the public service desk gives the Librarian direct supervision and control over the nerve center of the library's operation. The walls to the old office should be removed to form an inviting alcove area adequate to house the music record collection and listening equipment. Small listening units with earphones are recommended.

V. Conclusion

The addition recommended contains approximately 5,600 square feet and slightly under 60,000 cubic feet. Further delay in improving library facilities would not be in the best interests of the public school program and of the adult programs—educational, informational, recreational and cultural—which one expects to find in a community like Milton. The proposals outlined above would give the town of Milton a first rate suburban library at reasonable cost. The expansion of children's facilities at the Central Library and at the two branches is necessary unless Milton wishes to offer its children inferior educational opportunities.

A centralized adult service, efficient in operation, is proposed to supply books, professional guidance and interpretation for the enrichment of the lives of the citizens.

The town of Milton can take pride in the accomplishments of its public library. Its libraries and staff are doing a good job; the quality of the book collection is above average. The Central Library building is outgrown; increased population and greater school demands have applied new pressures; inadequate work space impedes the work of the staff; inadequate reading space discourages young and old from making full use of the library's resources. Milton cannot afford not to bring its library up to the level one expects to find in a first-class suburban community.

JOHN A. HUMPHRY
PHILIP J. McNIFF

Appendix D
SURVEY OF MILTON, MASSACHUSETTS PUBLIC LIBRARY
by

V. GENEVIEVE GALICK, *Director*
ALICE M. CAHILL, *Supervisor of Field Services*
Massachusetts Division of Library Extension

October, 1955

This informal survey of the organization, facilities and services of the public library in Milton, Massachusetts was made at the request of the Special Town Library Committee. Its purpose is assumed to be to assist the Special Town Library Committee in evaluating the library's present program and in making recommendations for its improvement.

Visits were made by the survey team to the Central Library as well as to the East Milton and Kidder Branches and the Scotts Woods Reading Room. Informal conferences were held with Miss Marjorie Shaw, the Librarian, with General McSherry of the Special Town Library Committee and with Mrs. Conger Williams of the Town Warrant Committee. These visits and conferences confirmed the consultants' previous understanding that Milton is a thriving and growing community with a long tradition of good school and library service.

Before going on to the body of this report, we wish to express our appreciation to the library trustees, and to Miss Shaw and the members of her staff. The questions which everyone answered so graciously have assisted us immeasurably in rounding out the recommendations. It is hoped that the suggestions made in this report will prove helpful in developing a progressive public library program which will supplement an assumed equally vital school library program so that the total library needs of this community will be met cooperatively and with no undesirable and expensive duplication of effort or facilities.

Milton As A Library-Use Community

Milton is a community of homes with little or no industry and little likelihood of future industrial development due to zoning regulations. It would appear to rank high among communities of the state in economic and educational status — which would typify a community which can afford and will utilize good library service.

It is difficult to apply a uniform statistical system of measurement to libraries in communities of varying size and background. The American Library Association, assuming a progressive library situation, has set standards of service and finance, usually on a per capita basis, which establish a goal for libraries desiring to give good service in the modern sense of the term. We did not attempt in this report to compare Milton's performance in terms of accepted standards since Miss Shaw has adequately covered all existing areas of service and finance in her "Survey of the Milton Public Library".

Milton's Library — Yesterday and Today

The Central Library building was opened to the public in June, 1904 when the Town had 7,054 inhabitants. The building as then constructed provided book stacks with a capacity for 10,325 volumes. In 1905 the circulation was 57,349 volumes or slightly better than 8 volumes per capita.

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In the early 1900's reports indicate that the library system, in addition to the central library, included the East Milton, Mattapan, Russell and Milton Village Reading Rooms plus a house-to-house delivery service by messenger in the Blue Hill and Brush Hill districts. The 1906 report makes mention of a unique deposit collection — each month ten books suitable for boys and men were sent on deposit to the principal barber shop at Milton Village! So from the very beginning the Milton Library has been unusually conscious of its responsibility to reach out and extend its services to all parts of the community.

Some fifty years later, the Central Library Building is serving 22,395 inhabitants (U. S. 1950 Census) and is bursting at the seams with a book collection of 77,267 volumes. In 1954 the library, from its central building, two branches (East Milton and Kidder) and one reading room, circulated 200,671 volumes. Approximately 57% of the total library circulation originated at the Central Building.

What Is the Public Library's Purpose?

The whole public library idea is a uniquely American one — like free public schools. It is based on the principle that every citizen has *the right to find out*. The public library should make available the tools of knowledge to everyone — rich or poor, regardless of age, race, creed or color. Therefore, the public library stands today as one of the community's most important public service institutions and should play an increasingly important role in the lives of citizens who must understand and adjust themselves to a world getting ever more complex and ever more interdependent. A good public library completes and is an essential unit of the educational system of any community.

Too many people continue to think of the public library in terms of the past. The function of the suburban library has changed in recent years just as drastically as have media of transportation and communication. A good library is no longer merely a storehouse of books — it is an educational, informational and recreational center for the entire community. This change in the library's purpose calls for a change in the library building from the monumental type to the functional type which recognizes that the printed page is only one media of communication. The stock in trade of today's progressive library includes books, magazine, newspapers, films, recordings, slides, pictures, exhibits, etc.

What the Milton Library Needs

The citizens of Milton will not get the best value for their library dollar nor will they enjoy good library service until money is appropriated to renovate and build an addition to the Central Library building.

The solution to the problem of adding to any Library is one for which different architects and public bodies will have different solutions. These surveyors are not library building experts. We shall not attempt to make recommendations as to how the present building can or should be renovated or how an addition should be constructed. We have approached the problem from the library service and facility needs which are now non-existent or very inadequate. We will attempt to suggest a functional approach in terms of location of service areas but we can not recommend how these areas can be rearranged in terms of the renovation of the present building or construction of an addition to it. We have not seen any of the building plans previously drawn.

Space for accommodating readers — adult and juvenile, and for housing the present book stock are obviously very inadequate. Facilities for giving some services expected

of a progressive library are entirely lacking. To accommodate the present book stock, makeshift shelving has encroached everywhere on floor and reader space. Work areas are segregated at three levels and at various ends of the building. These are not only inadequate but are located so far from the service areas that it is impossible under present conditions to make the most efficient and economical use of the present staff.

I. The library needs *More Space* to store and display books.

While a systematic weeding of both the adult and juvenile book collections is needed and would release some lineal feet of shelving, it is quite apparent that the book collection is not now displayed or stored to the best advantage. An enlarged stack area is needed to house the present collection and to provide for a 20-25 year future growth of the book stock. In addition the library needs space for book displays and exhibits to stimulate people's interests in special events, new trends and matters of national and international importance.

II. The library needs a *Reading Room* for Adults.

Ideally, this should be near the book stacks for adults, as well as the reference collection. To keep in line with modern library trends, it should have a browsing area with lounge type furniture. The present reading room which "doubles in brass" with the reference room is cramped, cluttered and lacking proper reader seats and reader space for a community the size of Milton. Furthermore, under present conditions, it must be "taken over" during the late afternoon and evening hours by high school students to the exclusion of adult patrons who may wish to do some extended browsing or serious study.

III. The Library needs a *planned program of adult education*.

Today's library must work closely with groups in the community to stimulate the use of books and other communications media. Within the next twenty-five years the development of service to adults is going to be of great importance. Specialized service to "senior citizens" is a new and important function which should not be overlooked.

To be in tune with modern concepts of library service a program of informal adult education should include such facilities and activities as:

1. One or two rooms where groups of 30 or 40 people might gather for film forums, group discussions, meetings of various kinds in line with the community's civic, service and social activities or practical and artistic courses on home repairs, interior decoration.
2. A music room to house a music collection of recordings, for lending, with facilities for listening to records, on the premises, for both individuals and groups. There is a great opportunity for increased service in this field which must now be curtailed because of space limitations.

IV. The library needs a *separate reference room*.

The Milton Library has an excellent collection of reference books which now can not either be arranged to the best advantage or properly used. A separate room is recommended—this room to be large enough to accommodate the proper number of reader seats and to make it possible to house all reference materials such as pamphlet and picture files in one area. If, due to the lack of a high school library, students overrun the reference room in the late afternoon and evening hours, it may be necessary to consider the idea of an adjacent smaller study room where adults engaged in special research could retreat for quiet and serious study.

V. The library needs *new and enlarged facilities for service to boys and girls.*

The present room reserved for library service to boys and girls is overcrowded, unattractive and equipped with furniture which is makeshift and "hand-me-down". Milton's children deserve the very best in the way of library facilities and services. The best means an adequate boys' and girls' room with appropriate furniture of varying size to accommodate the pre-school child as well as those of junior high school age. Library service to children is one of the most important phases of the organization of any library. Every library wants and the world needs an adult population that knows and appreciates books. This interest in books is developed to the greatest degree when the public library has facilities for and an active program to foster good reading habits in children.

Proper facilities for service to boys and girls should include bookshelves and stacks of proper height to display and store the total juvenile collection as well as books for parents, teachers, scout leaders, and other groups interested in children's literature. There should be a suitably located room nearby available for story-hours, club meetings, talks and instructions on the use of the library.

Under present conditions the juvenile book collection is split with part shelved in a small room where it is not supervised, and no doubt many children are probably not even aware of its existence.

VI. The library needs *to provide more space and service for its young adults.*

Libraries that are in touch with today recognize that the teen-age group is one which needs special facilities and special attention. Whatever the arrangement, library experts are in agreement that the Young People's Room should be adjacent to and tied in with the Adult Department. It is also highly desirable, even where there is a separate room, that the young people be encouraged to make full use of the library's resources. Young people are by nature sociable. The library can go a long way in channeling their enthusiasms and energies into proper directions by fostering clubs, discussion groups and other planned programs of activity.

VII. The library needs *an adequate, well-equipped work area.*

These surveyors believe that the Milton library should plan for an adequate well-equipped work area adjacent to or nearby the main service area. This recommendation is made so that it will be possible to make the most effective and efficient use of personnel in manning both areas. It is our feeling that all technical processing and preparation of books for the shelves could be handled in such a room as well as book repair and other routine clerical tasks necessary in everyday operation. A location accessible to the service area would make it easy for personnel in one place to assist in the circulation department during especially busy periods.

VIII. School Library Service

Community libraries are wont to set up service to schools according to their particular requirements and circumstances. There are a wide variety of patterns of support and administrative control. These range from the public library assuming complete responsibility, through various plans for joint support, to complete responsibility by the public school system. We are not in a position to state what arrangement would be most desirable for Milton. However, the public library should work in close cooperation and harmony with the public school system toward the aim of a well-planned school library program which will eventually provide a library in *every* school on both elementary and secondary levels. We do feel that under present arrangements a token library service is being offered in a few Milton schools to the exclusion of others and that the public library service to children is weakened thereby.

IX. The library needs *more adequate staff facilities.*

Present quarters for the staff are so poor as to scarcely be worth mentioning. In a library where staff members are required regularly to work odd hours and evening hours, it is particularly important to provide for the comfort of staff members. Accommodations should include a lounge room tastefully decorated and furnished in such a way as to create a home like atmosphere. A kitchen unit should have its place in the area so that staff members can prepare simple hot lunches. Lavatory, toilet facilities and lockers should be placed in or close to the area also.

X. Branch Libraries.

The two branches in Milton are well located near major shopping and parking areas where people can and will combine their library visits with other reasons for making a trip. They are obviously well patronized. The surveyors believe that the renovation of the lower level room for children's use at East Milton is a practical worthwhile project which will free more book and reader space for adults and at the same time give children a larger and attractive service area with an outside entrance. It would seem advisable to plan in the immediate future for the same renovation at the Kidder Branch.

The surveyors believe that the size of the community does not warrant consideration of any additional branch buildings. After proper expansion of the central library facilities, it might be well to look into the matter of a bookmobile as a mobile branch to serve small concentrations of population effectively and economically.

General Observations

Important though an adequate building and a competent library staff are to the provision of good community library service, it is nevertheless true that no library can be better than the collection of books and other materials it holds. A cursory examination shows that evaluated in terms of size, rate of increase, quality, distribution of subject matter and use, the Milton Public Library book collection meets acceptable standards. A systematic withdrawing should be initiated before moving various service areas to new locations. This withdrawing should be followed up by a similar yearly process to weed out obsolete and little used materials regularly.

Milton is a suburban community close to a large metropolitan city with a well-developed reference and research collection. For that reason the surveyors feel that local and surrounding conditions do not warrant keeping such an extensive collection of back issues of bound and unbound magazines as are housed in the large lower level room. Such space it seems could be utilized to much better advantage. Except in a few cases, it would seem that a three to five-year file of back issues of a selected list of magazines indexed in Readers' Guide would be sufficient to serve the needs of both adults and students.

Changes in personnel organization should, as they become possible, be made in the direction of relieving head librarian of a regular desk schedule and relieving professional assistants of routine clerical tasks.

At present no film service or information center is offered and it is understandable due to the overcrowded conditions in the central library. With a building program under way, it is suggested that Milton Library investigate participation in the Film Cooperative for Public Libraries and thereby offer to community and school groups an additional valuable library service.

Conclusion

A good public library is a forceful social agency and planning a modern library building or renovating or adding to an old library building offers a real challenge. Certainly the plant should be blended with community and home life.

As to remodeling, only a discerning and creative architect can decide where extra weight can be placed, which openings can be altered, what supports and partitions can be safely eliminated.

It is clearly evident that Milton like many other communities has not developed its public library service and facilities fast enough to keep pace with the community's growing needs. While the present central building has a certain attractiveness, it is thoroughly inadequate from the point of view of service.

Appendix E

LIST OF LIBRARIES

Designed by Shepley, Bulfinch, Richardson & Abbott and their Predecessors

- 1948 Lamont Library — Harvard University, Cambridge, Mass.
- 1951 Johann Fust Community Library, Boca Grande, Florida.
- 1952 Widener Library — Alterations — Harvard University.
- 1952 Library — Northeastern University, Boston, Mass.
- 1954 Farlow Herbarium — Alterations — Harvard University
- 1955 International Law School Library — Proposed — Harvard University.
- 1955 Library — Addition and Alterations — Wellesley College, Wellesley, Mass.
- 1955 Ames Free Memorial Library — Lighting Alterations — North Easton, Mass.
- 1955 Coolidge Corner Branch — Brookline Public Library, Brookline, Mass.
- 1955 South Boston Branch — Boston Public Library, Boston, Mass.
- 1955 Library — Tabor Academy, Marion, Mass.
- 1955 Andover Memorial Hall Library, Andover, Mass. (Proposed).
- 1955 Law School Library — Alterations — Harvard University.

Appendix F

PROFESSIONAL AND EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND OF LIBRARY ARCHITECTS

JOSEPH PRIESTLY RICHARDSON

75 Wilson's Lane, Charles River, Massachusetts

Born: Charles River, Massachusetts — April 9, 1913

Education: Milton Academy, graduated 1931; Harvard College, A.B. Cum Laude 1935; Harvard Graduate School of Design, B.Arch. 1938

Memberships: American Institute of Architects; Boston Society of Architects (Vice President, 1954-55); Massachusetts State Association of Architects (District Director); Boston Architectural Center; Massachusetts Building Congress (Vice-President); Institute of Contemporary Art (Vice-President and Trustee); Harvard Graduate School of Design Association (Treasurer 1955-58)

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Licensed: Massachusetts — Reg. No. 214

Experience:

- 1938-1939 Assistant Resident Engineer, Massachusetts General Hospital
- 1939-1940 Own architectural practice
- 1940-1941 Partner, Richardson & Jackson — Architects
- 1941-1942 Own contracting business
- 1942-1945 U. S. Navy Reserve, Lt. (JG) to Commander. Served as Flag, Navigation and Operations Officer in preparing and executing plans for a Transport Squadron Commander. Awarded Bronze Star.
- 1945-1949 Architect — Coolidge, Shepley, Bulfinch & Abbott
- 1950-1952 Partner — Coolidge, Shepley, Bulfinch & Abbott
- 1952- Partner — Shepley, Bulfinch, Richardson & Abbott

JAMES FORD CLAPP, JR.

20 Bellevue Avenue, Cambridge, Massachusetts

Born: Cambridge, Massachusetts, November 18, 1908

Education: Cambridge High and Latin School — 1927; Harvard College — 1931 A.B.; Harvard Graduate School of Design — 1935 M.Arch.

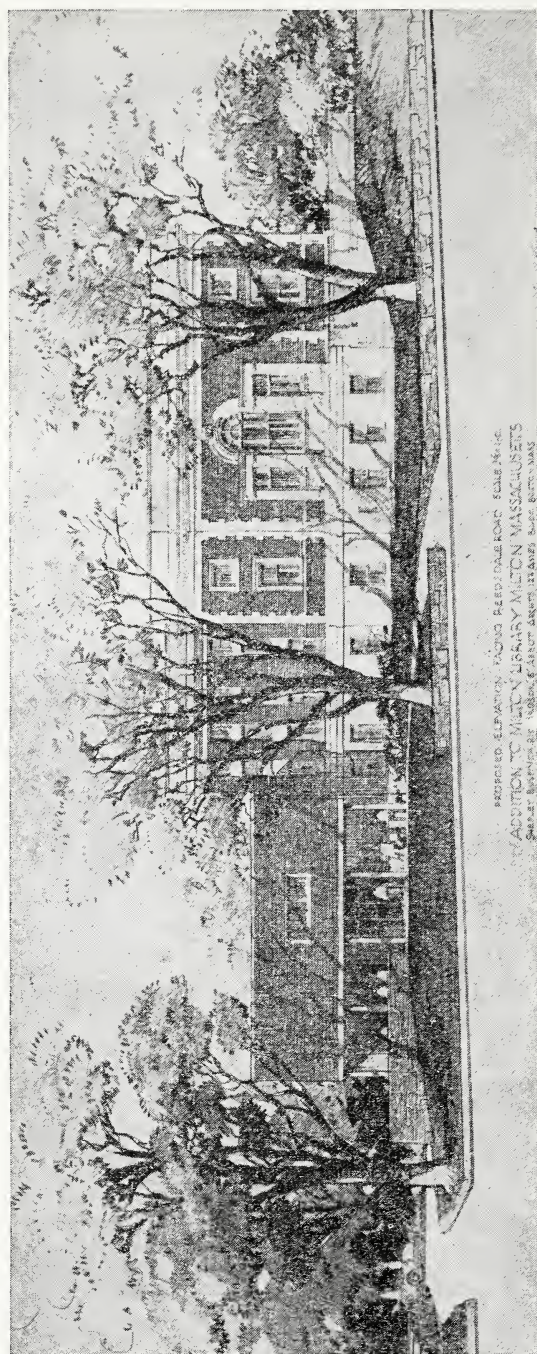
Membership: American Institute of Architects; Boston Society of Architects; Boston Architectural Center (President 1955-56); Massachusetts State Association of Architects.

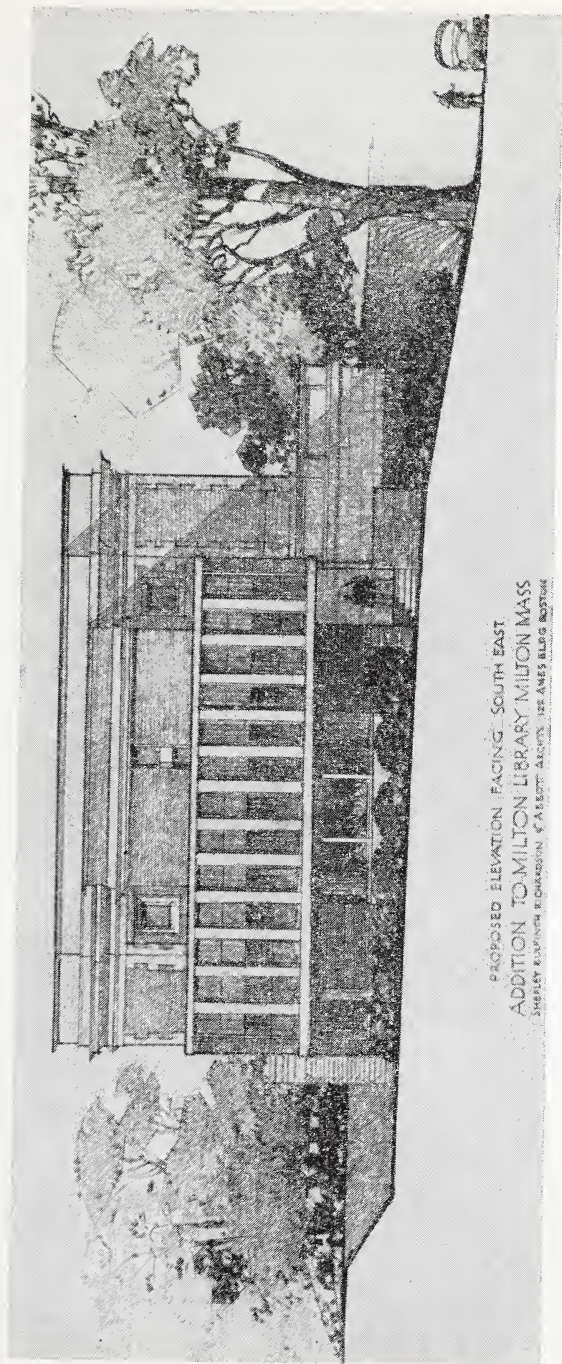
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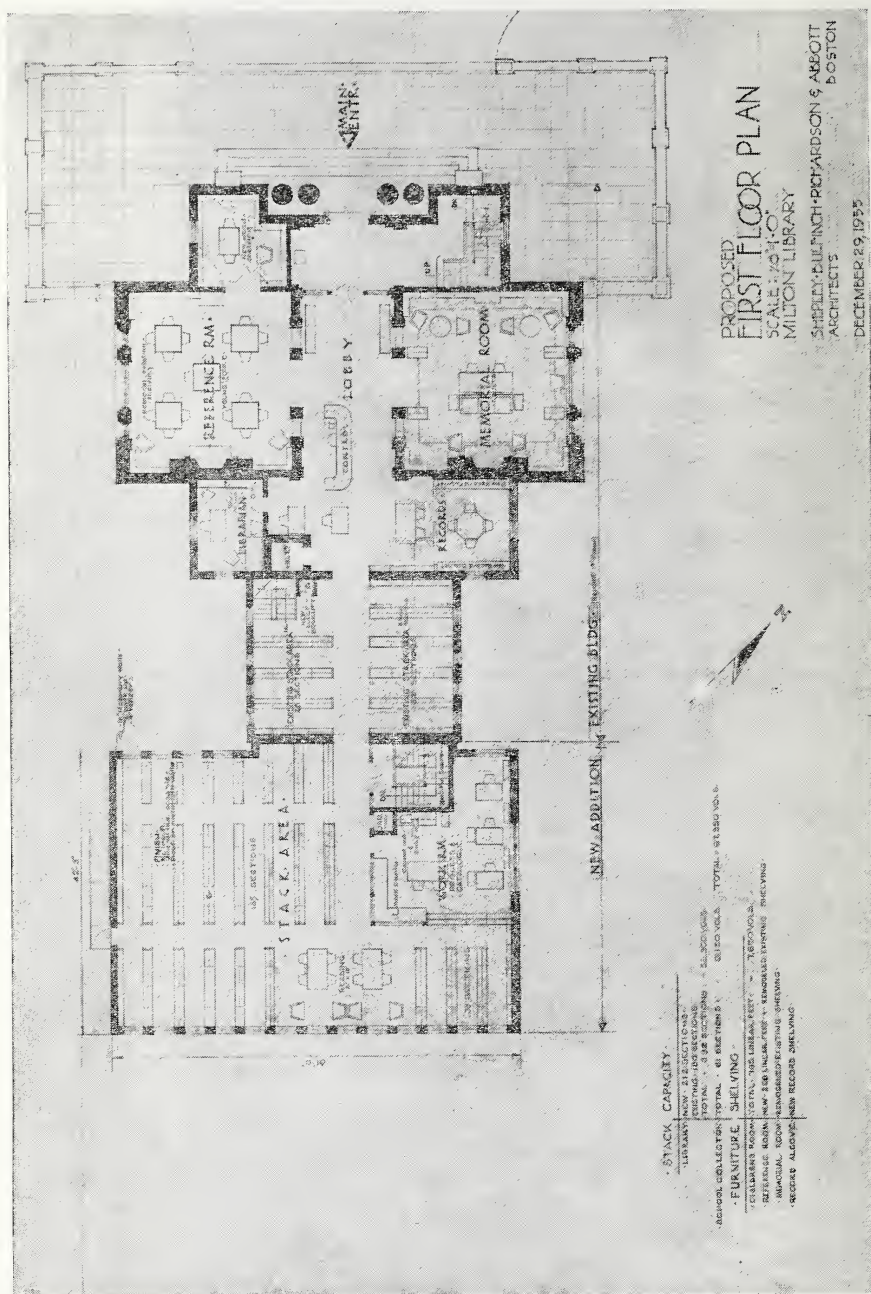
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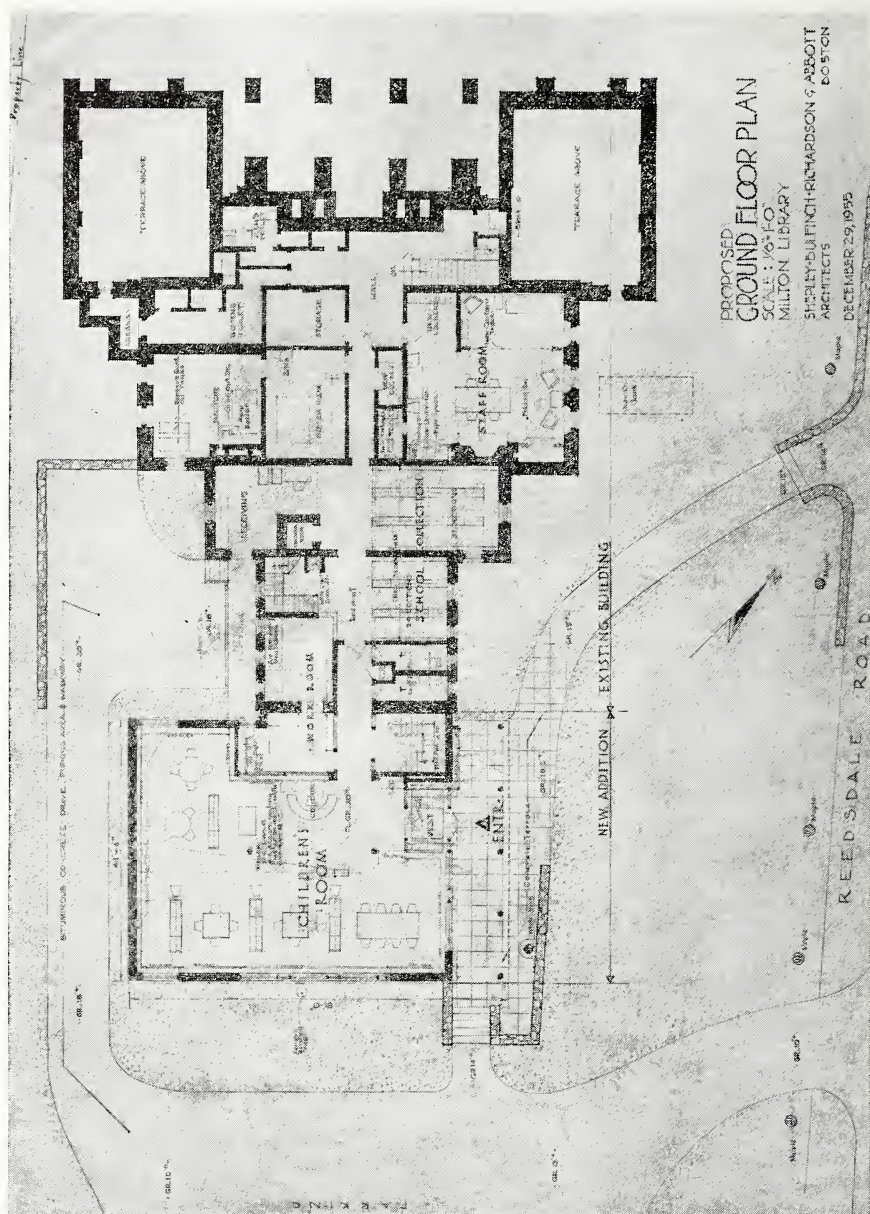
- 1935-1952 Architect — Coolidge, Shepley, Bulfinch & Abbott
- 1952-1953 Architect — Shepley, Bulfinch, Richardson & Abbott
- 1953- Associate — Shepley, Bulfinch, Richardson & Abbott

(In addition to the Milton Public Library, Mr. Clapp worked as Job Captain on: Lamont Library, Harvard University, 1948; Johann Fust Community Library, Boca Grande, Florida, 1951; Widener Library Alterations, Harvard University, 1952; Law School Library, Langdell Hall, Harvard — Alterations, 1954-55; International Law School Library, Harvard — In design stage, 1955; Wellesley College Library — Addition and Alterations — In design stage, 1955; Andover Memorial Hall Library, Andover, Mass. — Design submitted for approval by Town, 1954-55; Brookline Public Library — Coolidge Corner Branch — Presently under construction, 1955.)









Appendix H

MILTON LIBRARY OUTLINE SPECIFICATION

Revised December 21, 1955

1. Preparation of Site:

(A) Remove trees where directed, preliminary work, permits, etc.

2. Excavation Foundation and Masonry:

(A) Include excavation, backfill, rough grading, building terrace and rubble walls, concrete foundation with minimum reinforcing where required. Excavate for oil tank and other mechanical services.

(B) All exterior walls of cinder unit back-up and veneer face of water struck brick to match existing building with Limestone trim.

(C) Provide sewer connection to Reedsdale Road and connection for roof drainage.

(D) Provide grading, seeding and blacktop for drives, walks and parking areas; bluestone for steps, concrete for terrace.

(E) Roof of Robertson steel decking on 18" bar joists and with light concrete fill, framed floor of steel-tex on 18" bar-joists with light concrete fill, all supported on fire-proof lally columns. Concrete ground floor with reinforcing mesh on gravel fill.

3. Carpentry Work, Rough and Finish:

(A) Include job superintendency, building of tool houses, telephone, power, concrete formwork, staging for all work, wood furring, wood frames and bucks, flush birch doors and birch interior finish and handrails.

(B) Include new birch wall shelving and counter work in new and old building where indicated on plan and remodel existing shelving as required to fit the revision of existing rooms.

(C) Include all framing and finish for glazed partitions and railings and all carpentry work in connection therewith.

(D) Include rough and finish hardware, allowing an \$650 purchase price for finish hardware.

(E) Including cutting and patching for all trades.

4. Iron Work:

(A) Include all structural steel, such as bar joists and lally columns, lintels, reinforcing for foundations and floors and other required miscellaneous structural members.

(B) Include all miscellaneous iron for access panels, hangers, ties and the like.

(C) Include metal pan interior stairs, fire escape, pipe railings and handrail brackets.

5. Steel Sash and Glazing:

(A) Include "COTSWALD" quality steel ventilating sash with screens.

(B) All glazing for sash double thick.

(C) All glazing for fixed lights in exterior wood frames, aluminum display cabinets, doors and interior glazed partitions 1/4" plate.

6. Roofing:

(A) Include tar and gravel roof; L.C.C. Flashing and 1 1/2" fascia; roof pitches built up of insulating concrete only.

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7. Lathing and Plastering:

- (A) Include 3 coat work on metal furring for all exterior walls.
- (B) Include 2 coat work on new C.B. partitions.
- (C) Include 2" plater partitions around new booklift and for all new partitions in existing building.
- (D) Patch plaster as required for alterations.

8. Accoustic Tile:

- (A) Include mineral fiber accoustical tile ceilings on mechanical suspension system attached directly to the lower flange of bar-joists.
- (B) New acoustic ceilings shall be provided in new building only.

9. Flooring:

- (A) Include 1/8" dutch linoleum floors in new building with 4" R. T. base. Include asphalt tile floors with 4" T. T. base in new building ground floor only.
- (B) Patch, repair and refinish existing floors of existing building where alterations or redecoration is shown.

10. Tile Work:

Include ceramic tile floors and 5'-0" dado in toilets and janitor's closet.

11. Painting:

- (A) Include 3 coats of lead and oil on all new or damaged work to be painted.
- (B) Include natural finish on all birch doors, shelving and woodwork.
- (C) Repaint entire existing first floor and remodeled areas in existing ground floor.

12. Remodeling:

- (A) The finish of new partitions, doors, floors, plaster work and standing finish in existing building shall match existing work.
- (B) Cut through existing walls as required on plan and remove partitions as indicated.
- (C) All new alteration work or damaged existing work shall be painted as specified for new work.

13. Allowances:

For Heating and Ventilating allow	12,500
For Electrical Work allow	16,500
For Plumbing Work allow	9,000
For Booklift allow	4,000
For Stacks allow	9,300
Total	<hr/> 51,300

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE APPOINTED PURSUANT TO ARTICLE 2 OF THE WARRANT FOR THE SPECIAL TOWN MEETING HELD MAY 24, 1955

This report deals with the proposed by-law which would establish a Classification and Salary Plan for Town employees, administered by a Personnel Board.

We were appointed to make a study of the powers available to the Town under the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 41, Section 108A and 108C, to report whether it is desirable for the Town to adopt any by-laws as authorized by these sections, and if so, to include proposed by-laws in our report.

These sections authorize adoption of a plan classifying the positions of Town employees, and establishing maximum and minimum salaries and step rate increases for each position. They also provide that various plans and provisions governing terms of employment by the Town, including classification of positions, compensation, working hours, vacations and sick leave, may be consolidated into one by-law, to be administered by a Personnel Board.

At present the head of each Town department has the right to fix the compensation of the employees under him, within the limits of his budget. This has sometimes resulted in unequal pay for substantially equal jobs. For many years there has been in effect a voluntary compensation plan which has done much to prevent inequities, but the voluntary plan is not binding and inevitably has come to be disregarded in a good many cases. The question now before the Town is whether to adopt a legally binding plan designed to provide equal pay for equal jobs, regardless of department, and administered by a Personnel Board.

The Warrant Committee has prepared a by-law providing for such a plan and recommends its adoption by the Town. We have conferred with the Selectmen, the Warrant Committee, officials and employees of this and other towns, and Civil Service officials, and have reviewed the proposed by-law in comparison with those of several nearby towns which already have established similar plans. As a result we have made various suggestions regarding the proposed by-law, which have been adopted. We have found strong support for the adoption of such a plan among those best qualified to express an opinion, and no opposition. In our estimation the Warrant Committee has done an intelligent and thorough job, and the reasons given in its report for adopting the new by-law are sound.

Our recommendation is that the Town adopt a by-law establishing a "Classification and Salary Plan" as set forth in the Warrant.

This report would be incomplete if it did not mention the splendid co-operation we have had from the Selectmen, the Warrant Committee and certain Town officials who have taken great pains to provide us with information, for all of which we are most grateful.

We recommend that this Committee be discharged and no part of the \$100.00, appropriated for the use of the Committee, having been used, it is hereby returned.

Respectfully submitted,
NEWTON S. BAKER, *Chairman*
JOSEPH C. AFFANATO
MURRAY D. COLE
MALCOLM D. PERKINS
WARREN A. STEBBINS

REPORT OF HIGH SCHOOL ADDITIONS CONSTRUCTION COMMITTEE APPOINTED UNDER ARTICLE 30 OF THE 1954 TOWN WARRANT

Milton, Massachusetts, January 6, 1956

To The Selectmen of the Town of Milton:

Completion of Additions to High School Physical Education Facilities

The basic construction contract authorized under Article 30 in the 1954 Warrant, and separate contracts for grading and fencing, have been substantially completed. As shown in the accompanying analysis of estimated and actual costs, completing this work has required expenditure of every dollar of the \$375,000 appropriated.

This is accounted for mainly by the fact that, as reported on the floor of the 1955 Town Meeting, the low bid was well over what expert opinion had led us to expect. In accepting this bid, we were left with only a very thin margin of reserve for contingencies. As the work progressed, a number of unforeseen expenditures did in fact develop; and in order to carry the project through within the appropriated amount, we were compelled to cut out certain items originally provided. (The main ones were soundproof covering for the center truss to divide the gymnasium, interior finish and plumbing for instructors' offices, and certain unessential features of the heating and ventilating system.)

On the other hand, a number of the unforeseen expenses were of major importance to the primary usefulness of the facilities of the School Department, and had to be incurred. (Chief among these items, not originally called for but found to be necessary, were a new primary electrical service and a new water service. In addition, the Committee felt that public toilets, not provided in the original plans, would prove to be essential to the full normal use of the gym, and therefore decided to face the expense of installing them.)

Other minor adjustments were made from time to time as the work progressed. As is always true with a job combining new construction with repairs and alterations to existing structures, this proved to be a complex and protracted project, and required innumerable conferences among this Committee, the architect, the School Department, and the contractor to iron out details and harmonize objectives. We feel that the various adjustments in the contract have been fully considered and wisely settled, and that the outcome has proved very satisfactory on the whole.

The School Department, we understand, has included in its 1956 budget an estimated amount to provide a number of items that had to give way, as indicated above, to more urgent expenses. This Committee is well aware of the need for this budgetary request. We certainly would have liked to include these provisions in the contract, but unforeseen and more fundamental items had to be given priority in the allocation of our appropriated funds.

We believe it is safe to estimate that against our total expenditure of \$375,000 the State Building Assistance Commission will allow reimbursement credits, for work classified as "new construction," of approximately \$65,000. (It seems probable that some \$310,000 of the \$322,000 appropriated — by bond issue — for construction, and about \$15,000 of the \$53,000 appropriated for renovation, or \$325,000 in all, will be regarded by the Commission as new-construction costs, 20% of which will eventually be returned to the Town.) This would reduce the true cost of these athletic facilities to about

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\$310,000. Considering the high quality of work our contractor, C. R. Burns & Sons, has put into the structure, the fine appearance and efficiency provided in the designs of our architect, Adden, Parker, Clinch, and Crimp, and the vitalizing effect of the facilities on the High School's whole physical-education program, we are confident that the Town has received full, and even extraordinary, value for this net expense.

The School Department took possession of the premises last October. (We recall with special pleasure that the football team scored a victory over North Quincy on the very day it first used the new locker-rooms!) This Committee still has certain affairs to wind up, such as approving final bills for payment and completing the procedures for applying to the State Building Assistance Commission for certification of the project. We trust that we will have accomplished these last details before the 1956 Town Meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

WILFRED P. DE MILLE, *Chairman*
WILLIAM L. KLEHM
WILLIAM A. RYAN
EDWARD T. O'NEILL
JOHN C. REIMERS

MILTON HIGH SCHOOL

Additions Construction Committee

Analysis of Estimated and Actual Expenditures Against Appropriation of \$375,000.

Item	Estimated Expense as of January 4, 1954	Actual Expenditures as of January 4, 1956
General Work	\$336,500.00	\$339,952.40
Planning and Supervision	30,000.00	25,132.95
Insurance	1,000.00	714.89
Bidding Expense (including Advertising)	500.00	742.25
Equipment	3,000.00	3,991.24
Contingencies	4,000.00	
Demolition		446.00
Water Service		1,001.57
Additions to Contract		2,966.42
Cleaning		47.90
Committee		4.38
TOTALS	\$375,000.00	\$375,000.00

REPORT OF THE WARRANT COMMITTEE MARCH MEETING, 1955

February 15, 1955

Pursuant to Chapter 3, Section 4 of the Town By-laws, the Warrant Committee respectfully submits its recommendations on the Articles in the Warrant for the Annual Town Meeting.

A comparison of Department requests and Warrant Committee recommendations is indicated in a schedule in the back of this report.

In accordance with long-established practice, all persons desiring to be heard on any Article appearing in the Warrant have had the opportunity of presenting their case, and all Articles have been carefully reviewed by the appropriate subcommittees as well as the full Warrant Committee.

For the second time in the past two years the items appearing on the State Balance Sheet affecting the tax rate are in the favor of the Town. The estimated receipts are \$9,000 greater than in 1954 and the overestimates are \$28,000 more, due in the most part to the overestimate of the County Tax. For 1955 the estimated deficit of the Metropolitan Transit Authority shows a decrease of \$15,000 from that of last year.

The Town is contemplating no capital expenditures in 1955 which require bonding except the usual bonding of sewer construction, which is set at \$70,000 for five years.

At the time of this writing the total hurricane "Carol" expenditures are \$45,000 from the emergency account and reimbursement on this account from the State under Chapter 689 of the Acts of 1954 is \$34,000, leaving a debit balance of \$11,000. A second reimbursement of \$22,000 has now been approved, which covers the balance due to the Town from the emergency account and also covers part of the expenditures of the individual departments on hurricane damage. No reimbursement has been received to date on hurricane "Edna" for which our expenditures are about \$13,000. However, legislation has been passed authorizing reimbursements on this account and it is expected that the tax rate will not be adversely affected by these costs.

In spite of substantial increases in the School Budget, Police Private Work, Welfare, Veterans' Benefits and other budgets covering retirement allowances, the Warrant Committee expects that if its recommendations are followed, the tax rate for 1955 will be about \$47.00 or the same as for 1954.

Wages and Salaries

During the past year there has been no general change in the Wage and Salary Plan with respect to compensation and job evaluation. However, it should be understood that the Warrant Committee has from time to time been asked to review specific requests by department heads for changes in grade. These have been thoroughly considered and an increase in grade has been recommended in four instances where the type of work has so changed as to merit it.

Articles 16, 17, 18, 19, 20

The first of these articles calls for a \$300 per year increase to members of the police and fire departments as of January 1, 1955. The second concerns the payment of overtime to policemen for work on primary and election day as well as Hallowe'en

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and at any parade or public celebration. The third and fourth articles provide policemen and firemen with an additional day off or a day's pay for duty during a 24 hour period of work on one or more of ten holidays. Lastly, employees of both departments ask that a three week vacation be granted after five years' service and four weeks after ten years.

The Warrant Committee has studied these proposals carefully and does not favor their adoption as they would tend to create inconsistencies within the Wage and Salary Plan.

The Committee does think it advisable in view of the fact that there has been no complete review of the plan in its entirety for two years that such a study be undertaken during the balance of 1955. It is proposed to analyze each position again and compare the salaries of Milton employees with comparable positions in other towns and to take into consideration the Massachusetts Cost-of-Living Index. The Warrant Committee expects to undertake this work in consultation with elective officials, department heads and supervisory employees.

General Government

Police and Firemen's Pensions — Article 10

Because of the large number of retirements which took place primarily in the Police Department in 1954, it has been necessary to recommend an increase over last year's appropriation of about \$8,000.

Veterans' Benefits — Article 11

This department provides financial assistance to those not covered by other agencies such as Public Welfare, and as larger numbers of veterans are now living in Milton, it is expected that such aid will be increased by about \$10,000 over 1954.

Board of Retirement — Article 12

The amount requested represents an increase of \$13,000 over 1954 which is due to a sharp rise in the number of employees who have retired.

Article 14

If this article is acted upon favorably as your committee recommends the Treasurer is empowered to act as Tax Collector and the elective position of Collector will be abolished in 1956.

Article 15

Accounting — This department has functioned well despite crowded quarters and inadequate office equipment. It is therefore proposed with your committee's approval to purchase an automatic calculator for \$595.00.

Assessors — Because the work of this department has increased in proportion to the growth of the Town, we favor the addition to the staff of a third full time clerk.

Election and Registration — As there is only the Town Election this year the amount of the budget is lower by about \$2,000.

Insurance — Recently the question has arisen as to the extent of public liability insurance which the Town should have to cover Town employees while driving their own cars or Town vehicles on municipal business. At present the departments concerned include fire, police, park, welfare, engineering and highway where in most cases, the department head has had additional public liability insurance on his own car while driving a Town vehicle.

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As this situation has been recognized this year by insurance companies as being tantamount to insuring one or more vehicles, the rates have been very substantially increased. For instance, to continue this extra public liability insurance for the superintendent of the Wire Department in 1955 would cost \$215.00 as against \$20.00 for 1954.

The Warrant Committee believes that should public liability insurance be necessary, the existing practice of covering some seven persons is illogical, as not taking into sufficient account the number of individuals or vehicles involved nor the extent of risk.

There are several alternatives to the solution of this problem such as (a) no provision for insurance of this kind, (b) insurance for individuals now covered which costs about \$1,100, (c) the insurance of all cars at a cost of \$9,500 and (d) the insurance of all cars and trucks including motor equipment which would cost about \$12,300.

In order that this subject may be reviewed carefully and a course of action suggested, the Warrant Committee recommends that the Moderator appoint a committee of three persons who will report to the Selectmen on or before November 1, 1955.

Town Collector and Treasurer — The present Treasurer has filed to be a candidate at the March 1955 election for the position of Tax Collector as well as Treasurer. The purchase of new office equipment such as a fireproof counter safe with cash drawers, a wide-carriage typewriter and an automatic signature machine will make for smoother, quicker operation. The Warrant Committee points out the need for a Deputy Collector and Treasurer who should be fully qualified to carry out the work of both positions.

Town Clerk — For many years this position has been combined with that of Tax Collector and both offices were held by one individual. In view of the fact that the population of the Town has grown rapidly resulting in a heavy increase in the work of this department, the Warrant Committee has come to the conclusion that the positions of Town Clerk and Tax Collector should be made separate at the March 1955 election and that in accordance with the more generally accepted practice throughout the Commonwealth, the office of Tax Collector should be combined with that of Town Treasurer.

In addition your Committee recommends the creation of the position of Assistant Town Clerk to provide for an experienced person who would be available to assume the duties of Clerk if necessary. The additional cost of effecting these changes, including new filing and binding equipment is about \$6,000.

Civil Defense — Article 33

The main expenditure of this budget is for administration. The budget also provides for all-purpose gas masks for the auxiliary fire department and ammunition for target practice by the auxiliary police.

Welfare

The cost of administering this department shows an increase over last year due to the necessity of complying with governmental requirements for additional information which has resulted in a request for \$300 for part-time clerical help. There has also been added to the budget an amount of \$600 for a medical consultant. This position is now required by statute under the "Medical Care Plan" of the State Department of Public Welfare. Its aim is to aid the local board in the control of quality and quantity of medical aid and to advise on difficult individual medical problems.

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The department has asked for a new addressograph to replace a hand-operated model purchased in 1937 which no longer prints legible payrolls and checks. It is also planned that the new addressograph would be shared with the Town Treasurer's office for payroll use. Your committee also recommends the purchase of an automatic graphotype which is used for stamping the addressograph plates, replacing a 30 year old model. The cost of this new equipment would amount to \$1,989.20 of which approximately \$1,000 would be returned to the Town by the Federal Government. The Board has asked for a new low-priced car to replace a 1949 Chevrolet business coupe which is in need of repair, and we recommend \$1,400.00 for this purpose.

Due to the increased cost of hospitalization the amount recommended for Old Age Assistance is \$123,500.00 or \$13,500.00 more than last year. It should be pointed out, however, that the Federal Government reimburses the Town up to a maximum of \$35.00 per case per month with the State contributing 2/3 of the balance of the grant after the Federal reimbursement is deducted.

Protection of Persons and Property

Article 21 — Police

This Department shows an increase due to a request for new equipment and private work.

It is planned to replace only three cruising cars this year instead of the usual four as five were turned in during 1954. The Warrant Committee believes it is wise to replace a 1938 LaSalle ambulance and patrol wagon with a new combination model. The old vehicle needs a complete engine overhaul and it is now almost impossible to obtain replacement parts. Due to the increase of traffic accidents and requests for transportation to local hospitals your committee favors this purchase at a net cost to the Town of \$4,800.00.

The Southeast Expressway construction is expected to accelerate during 1955 with considerable work planned for the East Milton Square area. This will necessitate substantially increased police assistance in directing traffic and accordingly \$30,000.00 is recommended for this work. It should be borne in mind, however, that as the Southeast Expressway is State financed, all of this sum if spent will be returned to the Town.

Fire

The recommended budget is similar to last year's. Under the 1954 appropriation provision was made for the addition of three firemen to man Ladder #2 in East Milton. These men joined the Department in December, 1954.

Improvements planned include the renovation of the upstairs quarters of the Central Station involving painting and plastering. Due to the necessity of replacing worn hose and one piece of stiff suction hose it is considered advisable to appropriate \$2,380.00 for these two items.

Wire

Part of the work of this Department is to maintain and repair the police alarm system. It is planned to replace 1500 feet of 2-wire loom cable from Thatcher Street to Blue Hills Parkway at Houston Avenue as well as parts and recall lights for a total cost of \$642.50.

Following a long-term procedure six new fire alarm boxes are scheduled for installation this year at a cost, including materials, of \$1,482.00. Eleven new signal type #3 batteries will be installed for \$234.85.

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The Wire Department has computed that \$500.00 will be necessary for alterations to the Police and Fire Alarm Systems and traffic lights in connection with the widening of Granite Avenue during the building of the Southeast Expressway.

Health

Article 22

Since the acquisition of the property known as the Dalerio Land for a public dump and the transfer of control of it from the Selectmen to the Board of Health, the task of supervising dump operations is one of the most important the Department faces. The request for this purpose amounts to \$3,771.50 of which \$3,571.60 is for the salaries of a caretaker who will work on a regular five day week and for a relief caretaker who will be on hand Saturdays and holidays.

Article 23

Disposal of Garbage and Refuse.

The contract for the removal of garbage and rubbish has one more year to run and accordingly the amount asked for of \$86,520.00 is the same as last year.

Article 26 — Sewer Construction

Sewer Construction is expected to amount to \$103,140.00 of which \$13,500.00 is to cover the cost of lowering the Sewer at School Street in connection with the re-grading of Pine Tree Brook, an expense which the Sewer Department unexpectedly had to assume.

Article 27 — Water

There is this year an amount of approximately \$39,000 for alterations to the distribution system in connection with the Southeast Expressway, which sum will be reimbursed to the Town. Also included is \$1,800.00 for removing and relaying pipe at the new High School Gymnasium. In other respects this budget is similar to former years.

The Department wishes to purchase an electric pipe locator and an M Scope Water Leak Survey Instrument which the Warrant Committee approves. In addition, it is planned to purchase a new car for the Superintendent at a cost of \$2000.00 which is in line with the Committee's usual policy of approving an amount which is necessary to purchase a low-priced car. An amount of \$2,400.00 has been allotted for a new 1½ ton chassis for the compressor.

Turner's Pond Area

Article 36 — Proposed Change in Zoning

When the Town's zoning by-law was established in 1938, almost all of the Turner's Pond land was placed in "C" district. The interest in a possible change of the zoning from "C" to "B" arises from the fact that the property was purchased in 1954 and included plans for building 88 homes, all but five of which would be in "C" district.

If this development were to take place it is likely that additional educational facilities at Glover School would be necessary and more police and fire protection needed.

The Warrant Committee understands the extensive problems which this proposed development would create but maintains that from a logical standpoint the area

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having been in "C" district since the inception of the zoning by-law it should remain so and therefore recommends against adoption of this Article.

Article 37

The disposition of Turner's Pond area comprising some 28 acres has been a matter for conjecture for a long period. From time to time this property has been offered either as a restricted or unrestricted gift to the Town by the former owner's family or considered for purchase as a Park. In 1949 the Board of Park Commissioners suggested that the pond be purchased by the Town but no action was taken. Turner's Pond is one of the few large open areas left in Milton in a location which is otherwise well-populated.

The Warrant Committee has attended all hearings and the open meeting which the Planning Board held this year and it has given a great deal of attention to the need of the Town for additional park land for recreation.

In view of this need the Warrant Committee recommends the purchase or taking by right of eminent domain of the Turner's Pond Area. It further recommends that moneys now available up to the sum of \$30,000.00 received by the Town from sale of unusable park land, be used for this purpose. If the Town Meeting votes to accept this recommendation, the Committee recommends that the Park Department include in next year's budget a minimum sum necessary to provide sufficient water in Turner's Pond for recreational activities such as have been enjoyed there formerly.

Articles 38 and 39—Easement at Turner's Pond

The Board of Selectmen in the summer of 1954 took an easement 50 feet wide upon a strip of land in the southern part of Turner's Pond Area belonging to Roger Turner and four residents whose property is located on Brook Road. No work has been done on constructing this easement. The reason for this taking was predicated upon the engineering concept that by locating the channel of the brook further away from the pond less seepage from the pond into the brook would occur. Moreover at that time Turner's Pond was still leased by the Unquity Sportsmen's Club for fishing purposes and it was considered beneficial to their use of the pond that the channel be located further south so as to assist in retaining water in the pond.

The Board of Selectmen took this easement without a hearing and without advance notice to the residents on Brook Road. The payment of \$8,500.00 was authorized by the Selectmen to Roger Turner for the part of the easement which was on his land.

It seems clear to the Warrant Committee that the location of the channel must be determined before any easement may be required. The Warrant Committee believes that the channel location is a matter for further review, which would be part of the recommendations a special committee would make to the Town.

In addition your Committee does not think that the manner by which the Selectmen took the easement was proper even though legal. The Committee feels that prior notice should be given and hearings held even in cases where those steps are not required by law. For these reasons and believing that the present time affords a splendid opportunity for beginning again on the problem of Pine Tree Brook unhindered by previous action, the Warrant Committee recommends that under Articles 38 and 39 part of the easement be abandoned.

The Warrant Committee recommends that the part of the easement for which money has been paid should be retained by the Town so that if it is of future use the Town will not have to pay the present owner any damages. The Warrant Committee does not mean to imply by this recommendation that this part of the easement

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has any value. It should be pointed out that if Turner's Pond area is purchased or taken by right of eminent domain by the Town the channel of the brook can be placed in the best location because it will be located on Town-owned land.

Pine Tree Brook

Articles 40, 41 and 42

Pine Tree Brook has been a problem to the Town for many years. Residents have complained that the overflow in times of heavy thaw and excessive rain has flooded their land and cellars and made the streets near their home unsuitable for pedestrian use. The area in which this flooding occurs is a low land lying adjacent to and beyond the Blue Hills Parkway, known as the Thatcher Plain. At the present time more homes are being built in this locality which presumably may aggravate the problem, although the Committee has been advised by the Water Department that some of these homes are now equipped with sump pumps.

A second unsatisfactory condition in regard to Pine Tree Brook is that during the summer months when the water is low, stagnant pools are formed which produce unpleasant odors and are potentially dangerous to health.

Thirdly, the natural course of Pine Tree Brook is not conducive to proper drainage as there is no channel for suitable flow in the Pope's Pond locality or in the marsh below the Pierce School.

In 1953 the Town Meeting voted \$30,000.00 for the first step of a five step program to regrade Pine Tree Brook under the State Stream Clearance Program. This plan called for the State and the Town to each bear half the cost of \$300,000.00 for the whole program. It was understood that the State would carry out the program as recommended by town officials based upon the Howard M. Turner survey, the State letting all contracts and the Town reimbursing the State. The first step covers the Brook from Brookside Park to Turner's Pond. It is now nearing completion although no work has been done between the Glover School bridge and the outlet at Turner's Pond.

There is no contract to do the second step as the Warrant Committee has asked the Selectmen not to conclude any agreement with the State and to request the State not to award any contract for the second step of the Pine Tree Brook project so that all matters pertaining to this subject could be thoroughly discussed and studied before further action might take place in advance of the Town Meeting. Essentially the reason for the Warrant Committee's request to the Selectmen not to proceed with the next step of Pine Tree Brook is because of the fact that Turner's Pond has been purchased for development and the interconnection between the carrying out of step two and the existence of the pond and the amount of water in it is apparent. In addition the Selectmen have taken an easement for the ultimate purpose of locating the channel of the brook and under the above conditions it becomes debatable as to the need for the channel to be located where the easement has been taken.

Other factors in connection with the execution of the Pine Tree Brook project so far have caused further difficulties. Part of the rock bank of the channel completed under step one near School Street has already eroded, thus tending to clog a section of the channel at that point. The need for lowering of the sewer under School Street was not known to the State authorities at the time the Pine Tree Brook project was started and thus there was no provision made for it in the financing of the first step. As work on the channel in step one was nearing completion at School Street, it became necessary to act promptly to lower the sewer if the flow of water was not to be seriously hindered. An agreement was made between the Board of Sewer Commis-

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sioners and the State to pay 50% each of the cost up to \$5,600.00 which was estimated to be the amount needed to do the work. At this writing the lowering of the sewer has been accomplished but the cost is believed to be nearer \$13,500.00. At the same time this work was carried on without any contract between the State and the contractor. The total cost of this work had to be included in the Sewer Construction budget with half of the \$5,600.00 expected to be reimbursed by the State.

Included in step one is a bridge at the entrance to the Glover School, which was so constructed that water would not drain off its surface. This problem has been remedied by drilling two holes through the concrete bridge thus permitting the water to run into the brook. Looking ahead to other problems on the drainage of Pine Tree Brook there are the projected lowering of the M. D. C. Sewer at Brook Road and two other sewers at Central Avenue and at Audubon Road. Present engineering plans call for the location of the channel of the brook through Pope's Pond with the result that it is expected to be drained. This may well at some future time present a problem similar to that which the Town is now facing as to Turner's Pond.

As important as any of these situations is the fact that if the Turner Pond area is taken by eminent domain for a park, the Warrant Committee believes it should contain adequate water to regain its desirability as a recreation area. The achievement of this aim is definitely connected with future work on Pine Tree Brook.

In consideration of all these factors as evidenced by unanticipated complications, the Warrant Committee recognizes the need for time to review the entire Pine Tree Brook project especially with regard to Turner's Pond. Accordingly, the committee recommends that a committee of five citizens be appointed by the Moderator to study and review the Pine Tree Brook project in consultation with the Board of Selectmen and the Town Engineer and all other departments of the Town which have a part in this project and that possible future work on the brook be considered in the light of its effect upon Turner's Pond. For the use of the committee in making this review, the sum of \$1,000 is recommended. Therefore we recommend that no further work be done until the committee so appointed has made its report and its recommendations are accepted at the March 1956 Meeting.

Last year's Town Meeting approved an appropriation of \$30,000 for section two of the project. As this sum is set aside for this purpose and will have no effect on the 1955 tax rate, the Warrant Committee believes that it should remain available for possible eventual use.

Pending this study, which your committee believes is essential, it is recommended that no money be appropriated for carrying out section three for which the Selectmen have requested an appropriation of \$30,000.

Park

Article 43

Improvements planned for 1955 call for painting about 500 feet of the chain link fence on the Andrews Playground and repairs to the grandstand at the Brook Road Playground.

The Park Commissioners plan to spend \$3,000 each on the Andrews Playground and the Mary Chase Lane Memorial Playground with the latter expected to be finished in 1955. This year will complete all filling, grading and seeding of the Andrews Playground with the exception of the back area. \$500.00 is recommended for additional labor, as this Department has only one full time employee besides the Superintendent.

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Parking Lot

Article 44

The Town has been asked to purchase for a parking space an area of 25,000 square feet known as the Warshaw property, which fronts on Franklin Street. The reason for this proposed acquisition is that the congestion resulting from the construction of the Southeast Expressway is so great as to cause insufficient parking facilities in East Milton Square. It is anticipated that this property could accommodate sixty cars and could be purchased for \$35,000. This price does not include the cost of razing the building on the lot nor resurfacing, which additional expense we are advised would be borne by members of the Chamber of Commerce.

The article also includes a small parcel of land which Town authorities think would be desirable to have as it would provide pedestrian access to the parking area to and from stores on Granite Avenue. They believe that this access way is necessary to make the parking lot fully efficient. The Chamber of Commerce, however, is interested primarily in the Warshaw property. The owner of the small parcel of land does not wish to sell, and it would have to be taken by eminent domain.

While the Warrant Committee appreciates the difficulty of carrying on business in East Milton and the loss of parking space caused by the construction of the Southeast Expressway, it does not think it advisable to expend \$35,000 or more for this purpose. It believes further that it would be wiser to see whether or not space becomes available as the construction of the Expressway is advanced and when it is known how traffic will be routed in the East Milton Area.

Schools

Article 45

The budget includes the sum of \$689,312.96 for salaries of principals, supervisors and teachers and entirely accounts for the increase of \$56,799.36 over last year's appropriation. This completes the two year salary revision which is designed to place the Town in a better position to obtain the services of a competent teaching staff. Other increases not included in the above figures are \$500 more for textbooks than last year due to an anticipated enrollment of 150 additional pupils and about \$1,200 for clerical services.

Maintenance of the Plant including repairs and replacements show a decrease of \$1,200. The cost of plant operation has increased by about \$4,000 reflecting a rise in such items as janitors supplies, fuel, light and power and gas.

We agree with the recommendation of the School Committee to install new kitchen facilities for the Home Economics Department at a cost of \$6,500. Other new equipment is planned for the business, industrial arts and health departments at a cost of about \$6,100.

Cemetery

Article 47

The trustees advise that they believe their greatest need for 1955 is tree care. Tremendous damage occurred to the cemetery's 1200-odd trees from the recent hurricanes and the department's facilities are not adequate to cope with extensive trimming which the work requires. It is planned to spread the trimming over a three year period so as not to sharply increase the budget this year. Your committee agrees that it is necessary to preserve the trees and improve the appearance of the cemetery and recommends that \$3,500 be appropriated for 1955.

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There have been no requests for continuing the black topping or for heavy new equipment. However, the Trustees, mindful of the fact that there has been no soil improvement of the grounds for two years, feel that the entire lawn area of the cemetery should be limed for an estimated cost of \$750. The Warrant Committee favors this proposal.

In addition it seems advisable to recommend \$200 for the purchase of a casket carriage, which is used for transferring the casket from the hearse to the grave. This is essentially a move to insure safety by preventing the possibility of the casket falling and injuring the carriers.

Highways

Article 48 — Drainage

In connection with Chapter 90 work it is planned to take care of surface water on Pleasant Street from Dean Road to Woodville Avenue during the winter months so that this part of Pleasant Street can be resurfaced in the spring. The extension of a drain at Truro Lane to about 140 feet from Pine Tree Brook is necessary due to the fact that there is a flooding of back yards where the drain pipe now ends. It is also planned to carry off water which flows from Granite Place to land on the Quincy line.

It has been the practice to clean and trim the brush from the brooks which flow through the Town and this year the open waterway in Wendell Park from Canton Avenue to Pine Tree Brook is expected to be improved in this manner. Also a section of Unquity Brook from Brook Road to Centre Street will be cleared of debris and overgrowth.

Permanent Construction

The Selectmen favor the resurfacing of old tar roads this year rather than the undertaking of new construction. For this purpose the sum of \$10,000 is recommended.

New Equipment

Of the sum requested of \$12,475.00 approximately \$7,000 is for a new tandem roller, which the Selectmen asked for last year but which your Committee felt could be deferred. It appears that the tandem roller now in use which was purchased in 1949 has not performed satisfactorily and there is no agency in this locality from which parts can be obtained. As there is a definite need for an efficient, modern roller it is deemed advisable to make the purchase at this time.

The Highway Department has five small sandspreaders which are manually operated from dump trucks. They are too slow to cover the work of sanding hills and intersections during a sudden freezing rain or snowstorm and therefore a motorized spreader is recommended for \$1,675.00. In addition the committee favors the purchase of a 2-ton dump truck and a pick-up truck for \$3,800.00.

The Highway budget includes an amount of \$801.07 for payment of unpaid bills for the rental of snow removal equipment and the purchase of sand as there were insufficient funds left at the year's end to pay for these items. Primarily the reason for this shortage is that the money allocated for snow removal purpose was used earlier in the fall to complete a drainage project at the new school at Center Street and Brook Road. Your committee believes that while this drainage work may well have been performed at an ultimate saving to the Town, nevertheless provision should have been made for it by the Selectmen in the 1954 budget.

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Article 49 — Chapter 90 Maintenance

As was the case last year under Chapter 90 Maintenance, the Highway Department expects to spend \$1,500 as its part of the cost for surface care of streets approved by the Massachusetts Department of Public Works, with the State and the County paying an equal amount for a total of \$4,500.

Article 50 — Chapter 90 Construction

The Town has asked the State Department of Public Works for approval to rebuild Pleasant Street from Horton Place to Gun Hill Street and from Lodge Street westerly and Eliot Street from Morton Road to Adams Street. Under Chapter 90 of the General Laws the Town pays the full amount of the cost of these two projects which is \$32,000 and is reimbursed by the State for 50% or \$16,000 and by the county for 25% or \$8,000 leaving the Town's share of the cost at \$8,000.

Article 51 — Street Betterments

The following streets have been approved by the Warrant Committee for acceptance under the Betterment Act.

	<i>Length-feet</i>	<i>Cost</i>
Barton's Lane	657.87	\$17,226.00
Dean Road	499.70	14,250.00
Elmwood Road	161.50	660.00
Franklin Street	575.80	11,520.00
Victoria Street	423.51	12,750.00
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	2,318.38	\$56,406.00

The usual policy of the Warrant Committee in recommending streets to be accepted under this Act is to do so only when at least a majority of the abutters concur as two-thirds of the cost is assessed against them. A year ago Barton's Lane came up for consideration and about half the residents did not want the work to be done due to the necessity of widening the road, the taking of land for sidewalks, and the problem of creating a throughway dangerous to children. Now, however, most of the residents have agreed that the road should be improved under the Street Betterment Act with the understanding that the Selectmen and the Town Engineer will have a substantial buffer fence erected at the corner of Barton's Lane where it joins Glendale Road.

Article 52 — Non-betterment Streets

The Warrant Committee recommends acceptance of the following streets without assessment of betterments. Part of Centre Lane, part of Gerald Road, Phyllis Lane, Union Avenue, part of Ruggles Lane and part of Saint Agatha Road.

Glover School

Article 53

Last year's Town Meeting voted to sell the old Glover School building and land for a sum not less than \$5,000 with the provision that the building be removed within six months. No one was interested in purchasing the property under these terms.

With this fact in mind and considering that the old Glover School constitutes a fire hazard to the homes nearby and a temptation for vandalism, the Warrant Committee recommends that the Selectmen be authorized to tear down the building and that \$1,200 be appropriated for this purpose and that they sell the land for a sum of not less than \$4,000.

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Vose School

Article 54

It seems appropriate that since the School Committee has indicated that it has no further interest in the Vose School for school purposes it be turned over to the Board of Selectmen under whose jurisdiction your committee's recommendations may be carried out.

Article 55

Under Article 33 of the 1954 Town Warrant the Moderator was asked to appoint a committee of five to consider, study and investigate the possible uses of the Vose School building and the committee was authorized to prepare preliminary plans for estimating the cost of these uses to the Board of Selectmen. It has become gradually apparent since the first report on the disposition of the Vose School in 1949 that the Town desires to make positive use of the building. After a study of the building, the Vose School Committee has decided that it is structurally sound and that the main part of the building is suitable for office space without extensive remodelling. In the meantime the Vose School has been unoccupied and without heat since June 1952 with the result that the interior of the building is deteriorating. In order to prevent further damage, pending the final disposition of the building, your committee recommends that \$6,500 be appropriated for the installation of an oil burner in one of the boilers and for making necessary repairs.

We also recommend that a committee of five citizens be appointed by the Moderator to study in conjunction with the Board of Selectmen, the Boards of Sewer and Water Commissioners, the Police Department and other Town departments which may need increased space, the uses of the Vose School for office, equipment and garage space.

For employing architects and engineers for preparing preliminary plans and estimates, the sum of \$3,500 is recommended.

General Garage

Article 56

The Warrant Committee is aware that the facilities for housing equipment of several departments are not adequate. We recommend that no general garage, or special garage for any department should be planned until a determination by the committee appointed for the purpose, is made of the uses to which the Vose School building may best be put, as such determination might greatly change any plan now put forward.

Police Station

Article 57

In 1951 a special committee reported on the inadequacies of the present Police Station. No action was taken on a recommended enlargement and improvement estimated to cost \$76,400. The Warrant Committee believes that no action should be taken until the possibilities of the Vose School building for Police purposes have been investigated by the committee recommended to consider all feasible uses of the Vose building.

Changes in Zoning By-laws and Related Articles

Articles 58, 59 and 60

These changes in Article 60 are technical in nature and are designed primarily to clarify the intent of the zoning law adopted in 1938.

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Warrant Committee members attended the hearings which were held on each of the proposed changes. Town Counsel also supplied the committee with complete explanations and pertinent data on each change. The Warrant Committee, together with the Planning Board, recommends these proposed changes for approval.

Articles 58 and 59 are also technical and do not require the approval of the Planning Board. The Warrant Committee also recommends these Articles for approval.

Library

Article 65

In response to the suggestion of the Warrant Committee, the Library Special Committee and the Board of Trustees have produced an alternate plan to last year's proposed addition. The aim of this plan was to make use of all the space in the present building, taking into consideration those areas which are now not used for library purposes and relocating other facilities and at the same time, to accomplish all the purposes as nearly as possible which were incorporated in a full-scale addition.

Under this proposal the present periodical room and the easterly room in the basement would be connected and made suitable for young adults and teenagers. There would be provided a new entrance to this area through the main floor reference room.

With respect to the main floor it was proposed to put the Children's Room in the rear of the building and construct a balcony in the present Reference and Children's Rooms. The second floor would house the Periodical Room now located in the basement and provide access to the balconies.

Both the Warrant Committee and the Trustees believe that this renovation plan does not produce a workable layout although it does have the advantage of being able to house almost as many books as the proposed addition and the facilities of the Library would be extended to provide for all age groups. The principal disadvantages are:

1. The entrance to the basement room would disrupt those using the reference room.
2. Working conditions and control would be poor.
3. There would be too little room for children's books and many would be placed on shelves so high as not to be easily accessible.
4. The open stack space capacity on the first floor would be seriously reduced. This is a browsing area and is constantly used.
5. Due to the existence of the balconies it would be most difficult to devise a satisfactory War Memorial Room.

As a result the Library Special Committee has submitted substantially the same plan as last year which would call for an expenditure of \$312,000, an increase of \$13,000 over the 1954 plan. The same architectural firm of Shepley, Bulfinch, Richardson and Abbott have drawn the plans and the above estimates include architect's and engineer's fees, furnishings and grading.

The addition is planned to take into account the needs of younger people by providing teen-age children with a reading room and also one for the younger children. There would be a separate entrance from Reedsdale Road so there would be no need to pass through the main building.

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The stack space at the end of the present building would be enlarged and there would be more area for the use of the staff. The room at the right of the entrance which is now the Children's Room would become the World War II Memorial Room.

It is proposed to finance this addition through the issuance of bonds. The initial cost to the Town would be about \$.30 on the tax rate and thereafter about \$.75 including the cost of operating the addition which is estimated at about \$12,000 per year.

In line with the viewpoint it expressed last year, the Warrant Committee believes the library's facilities should be improved. However, the committee thinks that it would be desirable before commencing any changes to have a plan of what the aims and functions of a suburban library are as one of the many libraries in the metropolitan area. Information as to the extent and variety of books such a library should possess and the scope of its operations and services to the community would be most valuable in determining what improvements should be made.

The Warrant Committee does not think it advisable to carry out the renovation plan at a cost of \$172,900.00 because it is believed to be unsatisfactory, nor does it favor the appropriation of \$312,000.00 for the new addition. The Warrant Committee does believe alterations to the Library are needed which would provide for a suitable World War II Memorial Room, larger stack space, and more room for the staff. We therefore recommend that a committee of five persons be appointed by the Moderator to make a further study of the requirements of a suburban library in relation to the needs of the Town and to the school system whose own library facilities are expanding. The Warrant Committee recommends that this committee be empowered to employ architects and engineers to draw up plans and estimates and that the sum of \$2,500 be appropriated for this purpose.

Sale of Town Owned Land

Article 63

On the easterly side of Blue Hill Avenue opposite Concord Avenue the Town owns 1.98 acres which was intended for use as a park but which has never been developed for such a purpose. The Board of Selectmen have no further use for this property and propose to sell it to the Milton Hebrew Center for the minimum sum of \$10,000 and the Warrant Committee agrees with this proposal.

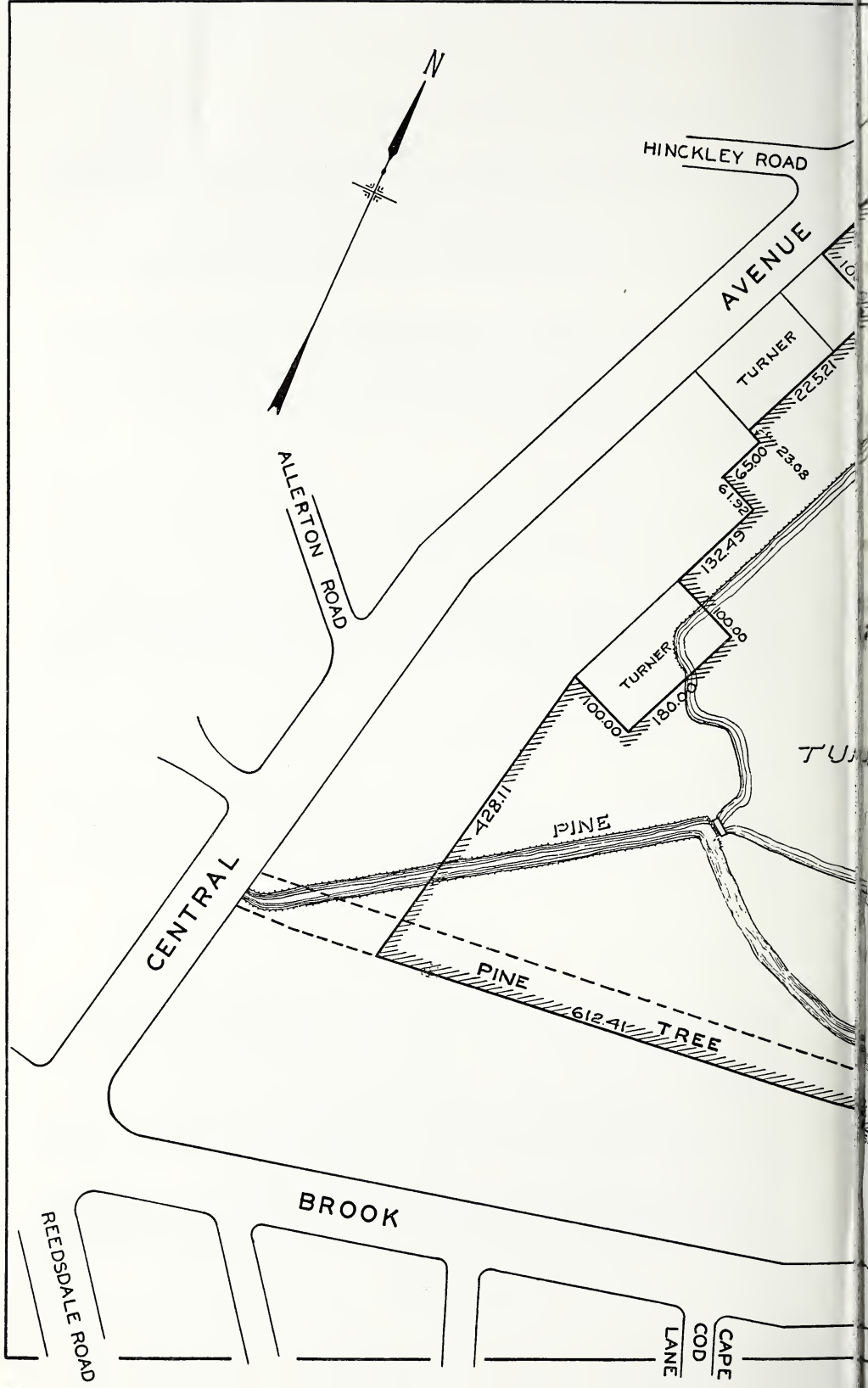
Reserve Fund

Article 67

This account was exhausted this year due to several heavy unforeseen expenses, notably in connection with the Town Dump, Police Private Work, Police and Firemen's Pensions, Veterans' Benefits and the Highway Department. The large costs of the hurricanes were not charged to the Reserve as they came under the State Emergency Hurricane Act.

The Warrant Committee in making recommendations on departmental budgets has taken into account the increased costs as outlined above and therefore believes that the Reserve Account should be adequate for 1955 at \$30,000.

Because this entire sum was taken from the Overlay Reserve last year there is less money available from it this year and it is necessary to recommend that \$19,145.49 be appropriated in the tax levy.



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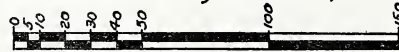
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Reserve Fund

Selectmen	\$ 96.56
Treasurer	50.50
Collector	329.21
Law	1,034.39
Town Clerk	1,065.37
Town Hall and Lot and Thacher Building	310.00
Police	4,995.15
Building	80.40
Town Dump and Roadway	4,311.78
Highway	1,506.31
Traffic Lights	52.65
Veterans' Benefits	9,491.81
Police and Firemen's Pensions	4,067.60
Insurance	507.87
Removal Safety Hazard (High Street)	585.00
Water	1,515.40
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Total	\$30,000.00

Warrant Committee

The Warrant Committee individually and as a whole wishes to express its sincere appreciation to the heads of the various departments and to all other Town employees for their cooperation during the year.

The Chairman also wishes to take this opportunity of thanking each and every member for his unstinting efforts and cooperation in the work of the Committee. He also wishes to express his appreciation of the efficient work done by Mrs. Macdonald, the clerk of the committee.

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REPORT OF THE WARRANT COMMITTEE SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

MAY 24, 1955

The Warrant Committee respectfully presents its recommendations upon Articles in the Warrant for the Special Town Meeting to be held May 24, 1955.

It has been the practice for many years to hold Special Town Meetings only when emergencies occur, action on which should not be delayed until the next Annual Town Meeting. At such meetings routine business has been excluded from the Warrant. The Selectmen and your Warrant Committee are in accord with this practice, and therefore only four Articles are submitted for consideration.

Wages and Salaries

ARTICLE 1. At the March 1955 Annual Town Meeting Article 16, which called for a \$300.00 raise for personnel of the Police and Fire Departments effective January 1, 1955, was passed by vote of the Town Meeting Members against the recommendation of the Warrant Committee.

The main purpose of this Special Town Meeting is to correct the inequity which has resulted in the granting of a raise to two departments only.

Accordingly, for this reason, and because the Committee believes it is the only way such a situation can be resolved to the benefit of the Town employees, your Warrant Committee recommends a salary increase at the rate of \$300.00 annually for all full time Town employees except uniformed and plainclothes members of the police and fire departments, school teachers, principals, and certain school administrative employees who are not part of the present Wage and Salary Plan, and except elected Town officials. Part time employees will receive a proportionate part of such an increase.

It should be understood that school teachers and principals are outside the scope of the present Wage and Salary Plan and have received salary increases on a two year schedule, the second step of which was approved at this year's March Meeting.

Elected officials as a legal matter cannot receive salary increases at any Special Town Meeting as their salaries are required to be fixed only at the Annual Town Meeting.

The Warrant Committee is advised to its regret that as a matter of law the proposed salary increases cannot be made retroactive.

The estimated cost of the Salary adjustment is \$35,569.06.

Wage and Salary Committee

ARTICLE 2. There has been in recent years a tendency on the part of neighboring towns to incorporate in their by-laws a wage and salary plan.

Usually such plans are administered by a Personnel Board which meets throughout the year and has the opportunity to review all phases of personnel work. Their recommendations are reviewed by the Warrant Committee and submitted to the Annual Town Meeting for consideration.

REPORT OF THE WARRANT COMMITTEE—MAY SPECIAL MEETING

The Warrant Committee believes that a committee of five citizens should be appointed by the Moderator to consider the possible need for having a wage and salary plan organized under General Laws, Chapter 41, Sections 108A and 108C.

This committee's work would in no way be part of the wage and salary study which the Warrant Committee is at present carrying on with respect to correction of individual inequities and which will be completed in time for action at the 1956 Annual Town Meeting.

School Traffic Supervisors

ARTICLES 3 and 4. The need for additional police protection during school hours has become increasingly apparent particularly with reference to traffic conditions in order to insure the safety of school children.

The Police Department requests that a School Traffic Control Unit be established and that \$2,463.75 be appropriated for the purpose of paying the salaries and for the uniforms of five regular and one reserve women traffic supervisors.

Tax Rate

The Board of Assessors has advised the Warrant Committee that the estimated tax rate for 1955 to which the above expenditures will be charged will be \$46.00 per thousand or \$1.00 less than estimated at the March Meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANCIS F. BROOKS, *Chairman*
HERBERT H. MILLER, *Secretary*
MRS. GORHAM CLUETT
BLAKE G. CRUCKSHANK
EDWARD J. FINERTY
NOEL DEERING
WILLIAM W. MacDONALD
LOUIS J. MATHIEU
ERIC PIERCE
WILLIAM U. PURSELL
MRS. JOHN J. REDDY
C. MELBOURNE ROWBOTHAM
EDWARD L. SAWYER
HOWARD S. WHITESIDE
MRS. CONGER WILLIAMS

REPORT OF THE WARRANT COMMITTEE SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

OCTOBER 17, 1955

The Warrant Committee respectfully presents its recommendations upon Articles in the Warrant for the Special Town Meeting to be held October 17, 1955.

It has been the practice for many years to hold Special Town Meetings only when emergencies occur, action on which should not be delayed until the next Annual Town Meeting. At such meetings routine business has been excluded from the Warrant. The Selectmen and your Warrant Committee are in accord with this practice, and therefore only two articles are submitted for your consideration.

On August eighteenth and nineteenth occurred what may have been the heaviest rainfall and most serious flood in the history of Milton. Probably all of us are aware that during any heavy rain it is likely that the cellars of homes in the Thatcher Plain area will be flooded until the Improvement of Pine Tree Brook in that area has been completed. Pine Tree Brook in its present state cannot dispose of the water from a very heavy rain to say nothing of the kind of flood which was experienced this past summer. In addition to the substantial damage to the contents of many homes, streets in the Thatcher Plain area became inundated and impassable. This kind of damage was not confined to the Thatcher Plain area. The same kind of serious damage occurred in areas adjacent to Unquity Brook and Trout Brook. In some of these areas the water did not drain away for over a week, and the difficulty of disposing of refuse and the consequent possibility of disease created an unprecedented health problem in the Town as a whole.

As a result of the problems which arose from the August flood a large group of citizens met with the Board of Selectmen to consider what steps could be taken immediately. As a result of this meeting and after discussion of the problems with the Pine Tree Brook Committee which was appointed at the 1955 March Meeting, the Board of Selectmen decided to call this Special Meeting.

You will find in this Warrant two articles which should be considered together and are offered to secure more State aid as soon as possible in the clearance of Pine Tree Brook. You will observe that they are similar in form to the articles previously passed by the Town in relation to the Pine Tree Brook Improvement Program.

In 1953 the Town decided to go forward with a program agreed upon by both the State and the Town, in which the State would pay one half and the Town one half, the program to be divided into five steps, each of which were estimated to cost the Town approximately \$30,000. This estimate was prepared in 1952; however, higher costs of bridge work accounts for a part of the increased estimate for the work to be done at this time.

REPORT OF THE WARRANT COMMITTEE—OCTOBER SPECIAL MEETING

The first step, for which the money was appropriated in 1953, consisted of clearance of the brook channel between Brookside Park and Turners Pond together with detail changes at the School Street bridge, replacement of a bridge on the Hurd land, the construction of a new bridge to the Glover School and relocation of part of Ruggles Lane. This first step has been wholly completed.

The second step provided for further construction and clearance of the channel of the brook up to the bridge on Brook Road, the lowering of the Metropolitan Sewer at Brook Road, the lowering of the Town sewer at Central Avenue, reconstruction of the underpinning of the Central Avenue bridge and the construction of a bridge to furnish access to the Turners Pond area. At the time of the March 1955 Meeting the State had not started work on Step 2 and for this reason and because the Town was not then certain what should be done about preserving Turners Pond, no additional sums were appropriated for Step 3. The Town decided however, subject to the advice of the Pine Tree Brook Committee and the decision of the Selectmen, that Step 2 for which the money was already appropriated should go forward as soon as possible.

However, after further study by the Pine Tree Brook Committee and consultation with various State and Town officials, it seemed the most economical plan would be to delay the lowering of the Metropolitan Sewer until an appropriation was made for Step 3. At that time the lowering of the sewer would be undertaken and upon its completion a new bridge would be constructed so as to eliminate the replacement of the existing culvert and not require duplication of work. The remaining work under Step 3 at this time would be a new bridge at Thacher Street. Additional stream clearance work in the brook channel between Brook Road and Thacher Street, originally planned in Step 4, would also be undertaken at this time.

Therefore, the only practical step at this time seems to be to accelerate the completion of Step 2, to make an appropriation for Step 3 and a portion of Step 4. It is noted that much of the paper work and engineering involved in the invitation of bids and the awarding of contracts has in the past delayed the work on Pine Tree Brook from Annual Meeting until late fall. With this in mind, the Selectmen, the Pine Tree Brook Committee, the Warrant Committee and the residents most immediately concerned feel that the Town should appropriate the necessary funds at this Special Meeting. If the requested amount of \$50,000 is appropriated, this amount will be added to the 1956 tax levy and will not have to be raised or expended until work is actually under way. The Warrant Committee believes that by appropriating these funds at this time, approximately six months will be gained in starting Step 3. If the recommendations of the Warrant Committee are adopted, Steps 2 and 3 will be completed in their entirety and part of Step 4 will also be done.

We have already noted that all of the flood damage was not confined to the Thacher Plain area. The same committee and officials who have been considering the Pine Tree Brook Program have also given careful consideration to what could be done in the Unquity and Trout Brook areas. It appears that there is a very real need for Town maintenance and clearance work in these two brooks as well as in Pine Tree Brook. With the use of modern excavating machinery much of the sludge and debris now present in these streams can be cleared, and accordingly the Warrant Committee has authorized an immediate transfer of approximately \$4,000 from the Reserve Fund to make this work possible this fall. By the time of this Special Meeting it is expected

REPORT OF THE WARRANT COMMITTEE — OCTOBER SPECIAL MEETING

that this work will be under way, weather permitting. This special maintenance and clearance work requires no Town Meeting action but is part of Milton's flood relief effort and is reported at this time for the information of all citizens.

It should be understood that if the sum of \$50,000 is appropriated at this Special Meeting, there will be no effect on the 1955 tax rate but that there will be an increase in the 1956 tax rate of approximately \$1.09.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANCIS F. BROOKS, *Chairman*
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MRS. CONGER WILLIAMS

DEPARTMENT REPORTS

REPORT OF THE SELECTMEN

REPORT OF SELECTMEN

Milton, Mass., January 12, 1956

To the Citizens of Milton:

The Selectmen submit the following report for the year ended December 31, 1955.

On March 5, 1955 the following were elected Selectmen: Charles F. Batchelder, jr., Daniel E. Duggan and William H. White and on March 9th the Board organized with Daniel E. Duggan, Chairman and Charles F. Batchelder, jr., Secretary.

The past year has been a busy one with the Board holding many late sessions, the chief problem being Pine Tree Brook.

Upon petition of a large number of residents in the area of Pine Tree Brook the Board held a meeting in the Town Hall on September 15th for the purpose of discussing the Pine Tree Brook situation. As a result of this meeting the Board agreed to hold a Special Town Meeting on Monday, October 17, 1955, at 8:00 P.M. in the Town Hall.

On October 6th the Board voted that in their opinion it was necessary to proceed at once with clearance work in Pine Tree Brook, Unquity Brook and Trout Brook. The proposed work constituted about two weeks of dredging and clearing and the actual cost was \$4,395.00, which the Warrant Committee took care of through a transfer from the Reserve Fund. Quotations were solicited and obtained from local contractors and the work was started immediately. We feel that this was a worthwhile project and it served to prevent a recurrence of the flooding conditions that existed in the surrounding areas at the time of the heavy rains in August. We have been assured by the State that contracts will be let for the continuance of Steps 2 and 3 of Pine Tree Brook by the time of Town Meeting in 1956.

On many occasions the Board has been dissatisfied with the methods employed by the contractor in connection with the Southeast Expressway and we have forwarded several letters to the Commissioner of Public Works relative to the conditions, but as yet have not received the desired results. We will continue to exert our efforts in trying to get this situation cleared up.

Due to the shortage of men in the Police Department and the traffic duty the police officers were called upon to do in connection with the Southeast Expressway there was need of traffic supervision at the school crossings. On August 4th the Board appointed six School Traffic Patrol Supervisors (Female), who served under the Chief of Police during the school year. The Chief reports that these women have been very satisfactory and have relieved the patrolmen so that they could perform other necessary police duties.

In June we were notified by the Trustees of the Public Library that they were planning to convert the Lecture Hall in the East Milton Branch Library into a Children's Room; therefore the room would not be available for elections in the future. We are very grateful to the School Committee who so kindly offered us the use of the Auditorium in the Collicot School as a polling place for Precinct 6 voters beginning in March 1956.

In August the old Glover School on School Street was razed at a figure of \$1090.00

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and on September 29th the parcel of land containing 22,500 square feet on which the school stood was sold for \$5310.00 to a Milton resident.

At the March Meeting the Town voted to construct the following ways under the Betterment Act:

Barton's Lane from Glendale Road to Fuller's Lane

Dean Road from Pleasant Street to Pine Avenue

Part of Elmwood Avenue from Milton-Quincy Line to Milton-Quincy Line

Part of Franklin Street from Howe Street to Alvin Avenue

Part of Victoria Street from Ferncroft Road to Savin Street

Due to the length of time involved in the construction of Pleasant Street under Chapter 90 and with all the extra work the Town was called upon to do in connection with the floods, it was impossible to complete all of the above named streets in 1955. Therefore those that were not completed will be in 1956.

The Selectmen take this opportunity to thank all other Town Boards, Department Heads and Employees for their fine cooperation throughout the year.

Respectfully submitted,

DANIEL E. DUGGAN

CHARLES F. BATCHELDER, jr.

WILLIAM H. WHITE

Selectmen of Milton

REPORT OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL

REPORT OF LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL

January 18, 1956

To the Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

As Legislative Counsel and Chairman of the Legislative Committee, I submit herewith my report for the year 1955:

In the 1955 session of the Legislature, there were fewer bills than usual requiring my attendance before Legislative committees or in interviews with our representatives in the General Court. Legislation was introduced to provide a state board of appeals with superior jurisdiction over local boards of appeals, and somewhat similar legislation to establish a state-wide building code which in certain instances would supercede provisions of local building laws. A bill was introduced to regulate the use of areas in towns for dumping purposes.

With respect to the foregoing legislation, I attended hearings and contacted Senator Cutler and Representative Sheldon and engaged their assistance in defeating the same. I also corresponded with the chairmen of the committees involved.

As in past years, I conferred frequently with Jonathan French, Esq., Legislative Counsel for the Selectmen's Association, and supported action recommended by the Selectmen's Association when requested to do so by our Board of Selectmen.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK B. FREDERICK
Legislative Counsel and
Chairman, Legislative Committee

REPORT OF THE TOWN COUNSEL

REPORT OF TOWN COUNSEL

January 18, 1956

To the Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

I submit herewith my report as Town Counsel for the year 1955:

During the year 1955, as in the past, I have advised your Board and other Boards and Town officials on legal matters arising in the usual course of the conduct of the Town's affairs. The principal matters requiring services outside of those covered by the retainer or of special significance were as follows:

The claim of the Town for damages caused by collapse of the retainer wall at No. 45-49 Adams Street following the fire on November 22, 1953, was settled and the Town was paid \$292.50.

There were an unusual number of cases involving the administration of the Subdivision Control Law. Just before the close of the year, seven such cases were tried or disposed of in the Superior Court in one week. Decisions have not been rendered by the Court, however, in all of the cases. The increasing number of appeals from subdividers in no way indicates fault on the part of the Planning Board. As a matter of fact, in most of the cases, the Planning Board over the years has been sustained by the court. As the Town continues to grow rapidly and large areas available for subdivision become scarce, subdividers present cases involving peculiar shaped lots and special problems. It should be remembered that subdividers include not only professional land developers, but individuals sometimes with only two or three lots which are available for building purposes. It is expected that the Planning Board will continue to have many very difficult cases. The Subdivision Control Law is new and the courts are just beginning to deal with interpretation and to provide judicial precedents.

Following the Annual Meeting in 1955, a special committee was appointed to study the Town's liability insurance coverage. That committee made a very thorough investigation which included gathering statistics as to the Town's past experience in accident cases. I assisted that committee in its work.

With the exception of one automobile accident, claims against the Town for personal injury or property damage stayed within the average amount. Claims were paid in 1955 in the amount of \$495.36. The automobile case just referred to was settled for \$1800. but as payment for this case requires Town Meeting action, the claim will be disposed of finally in 1956.

The taking of Turner's Pond by the Park Commissioners was completed immediately following the Town Meeting. The Town appropriated \$30,000 at the 1955 Annual Meeting, but this amount has not been accepted by the owner in full settlement and his claim for damages is still pending.

In 1955, the contract for collection and removal of refuse and garbage came up for renegotiation. The existing contract, which expires May 1, 1956, was carefully reviewed with the Board of Health and substantially rewritten. Bids were advertised and a new contract was awarded. The legal work involved was very considerable, and it is interesting to note that the contract executed in 1955, with the specifications, covers 46 pages as distinguished from contracts only a few years back which required

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only 6 or 7 pages. Here is another example of the steadily increasing complications in Town affairs which arise because of the growth of the Town and the complexity of present-day statutes and laws.

The Town voted at the Annual Meeting of 1955 to look into the matter of setting up a personnel board in the Town and a special committee was appointed to work with the Warrant Committee in this important matter. To set up such a personnel board requires a special by-law which sets out in full detail the operations of such a board. I have assisted the special committee and the Warrant Committee in drafting such a by-law, and in the year 1955 this work required many hours of study and consultation. Legal work on this matter will continue in 1956 prior to the Annual Meeting.

As always, I have had the full cooperation of all Town officials, boards and committees, for which I am grateful.

Respectfull submitted,

FRANK B. FREDERICK,
Town Counsel

REPORT OF BOARD OF APPEALS

REPORT OF BOARD OF APPEALS

Milton, Massachusetts, January 10, 1956.

To the Citizens of Milton:

The Board of Appeals presents the following report for the year 1955:

Mr. Blake G. Cruckshank, whose term expired in March, was reappointed to serve until the Annual Town Meeting to be held in March 1958.

We wish to take this opportunity to thank Mr. Richard H. Schmidt, Mr. Charles L. Hibbard, Jr., Mr. Roland Gray, Jr., and Mr. Walter N. Kernan, who so willingly substituted for members of the Board who were unable to be present.

During the year we held forty-one hearings. Of this number there were:

- 11 Applications for Special Permits
- 20 Applications for Variances
- 2 Applications for Relief under Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 41, Section 81Z
- 3 Appeals from Decision of the Building Inspector
- 1 Application for Extension of Special Permit for Medical Office
- 2 Applications for Extension of Variance for Drug Store
- 2 Applications for Variance or Other Relief

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD C. JOHNSON 2d
JOHN M. CURLEY
BLAKE G. CRUCKSHANK

REPORT OF THE ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT

Milton, Mass., January 9, 1956

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I herewith submit the report of the Engineering Department for the year ending December 31, 1955.

The engineering requests from Town Departments, Committees, Boards, and Town Officials together with those received from public utility companies and the Massachusetts Department of Public Works were taken care of throughout the year. The nature of these requests varies, as some departments require both field and office work and others engineering surveys, plans and reports. The utility companies request information from our record plans for new installations for both existing streets and new subdivisions. The Planning Board's master study plans together with the Engineering Department's complete up-to-date file are used daily for this purpose.

The year 1955 will long be remembered by Milton residents, particularly by owners of homes in either the Pine Tree Brook or the Unquity Brook areas, as the result of a 15.5 inch rainfall between August 17th and August 23rd. In October, between the 14th and the 17th, we had a total of 5.2 inches of rain. This was followed by 6.1 inches of rain between November 1st and November 6th. Each of these storms overtaxed the storm drains in the streets and overflowed the banks of the open waterways. The first step of the Pine Tree Brook channel improvement completed early last spring, designed to carry 500 cubic feet per second, proved its necessity beyond any question, since the August 1955 rains surpassed any record in the Weather Bureau's 87 year history. The particular type design being used in the 2.5 mile stream clearance project of Pine Tree Brook, with a water-shed comprising about 8 square miles, will provide safety under the exceptional flood conditions which might occur once in fifty to one hundred years.

The second step of the Pine Tree Brook program will be advertised for competitive bidding early in 1956 and construction started immediately after the award of the contract. The third step, for which money was appropriated at the October 1955 Special Town Meeting, should be under way by the spring of 1956. I recommend that the Town vote to appropriate funds at the 1956 Town Meeting for the fourth step of this program which will extend the improvement beyond Blue Hills Parkway.

The construction work on the Southeast Expressway has continued throughout the year. This made it necessary to detour traffic through several of the nearby residential streets. At the close of 1955 the contractor's work was on schedule. Early in 1956, the temporary roadway in front of the Post Office and the Boulevard Street bridge will be used, setting up a temporary rotary pattern until the Adams Street bridge is built. It is expected that a portion of the Expressway between the Granite Avenue bridge, north of Courtland Circle, and a point near the West Quincy line, will be completed by midsummer. This will relieve the congestion in East Milton Square, as entrances and exits will be constructed to handle through traffic.

Upon the present subdivision control legislation, it is necessary that the Planning Board approve all plans before they are recorded. These plans are filed in the Engineering Department and copies recorded in the Norfolk Registry of Deeds. By arrangement with the Registry, Land Court, and the Assessors, every transfer of land made in the Town is received in the Engineering Department so that the record plans of the Town are kept up to date.

REPORT OF ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT

The work accomplished by the Highway Department in 1955, contract work in subdivisions, and the work petitioned for in 1956 is shown in the following tables:

STREETS CONSTRUCTED UNDER BETTERMENT ACT:

<i>Street</i>	<i>From</i>	<i>To</i>	<i>Length</i>	<i>Street Width</i>
*Bartons Lane	Glendale Road	Fullers Lane	658'	40'-50'
Dean Road	Pleasant Street	Pine Avenue	500'	30'
*Elmwood Avenue	Milton-Quincy Line	Milton-Quincy Line	62'	40'
*Franklin Street	Howe Street	Alvin Avenue	576'	40'
Victoria Street	Ferncroft Road	Savin Street	424'	40'

2220'

* To be completed in 1956

or .42 miles

CURBING LAID:

<i>Location</i>	<i>Circular Feet</i>	<i>Straight Feet</i>	<i>Corner Blocks</i>
Bartons Lane at Fullers Lane	67.3	12.0	2
Bartons Lane at Clark Road	56.5	24.0	2
Bartons Lane at Lawrence Road	80.1	33.6	2
Bartons Lane at Glendale Road	46.6	12.0	1
Dean Road at Pleasant Street	59.7	24.0	2
Dean Road	22.7	12.0	1
Franklin Street at Alvin Avenue	88.2	24.0	2
Franklin Street at Howe Street	56.5	24.0	2
Franklin Street between Bassett Street and Adams Street	—	64.6	3
Victoria Street at Ferncroft Road	66.2	24.0	2
Victoria Street at Savin Street	88.0	24.0	2
Walnut Street between Reedsdale Road and Fairbanks Road	—	58.8	1

PERMANENT STREET BOUNDS SET:

Location

Bartons Lane	4
Dean Road	4
Franklin Street between Howe Street and Alvin Avenue	2
*Pleasant Street near Bradford Road	1
Victoria Street between Ferncroft Road and Savin Street	2

*Bound reset to grade.

SIDEWALK CONSTRUCTED (Bituminous Concrete):

<i>Location</i>	<i>Length</i>	<i>Width</i>
Thacher Street from Darby Road to Houston Avenue	843.4	8.0'

STREET RESURFACED UNDER CHAPTER 90, GENERAL LAWS:

<i>Street</i>	<i>From</i>	<i>To</i>	<i>Length</i>	<i>Street Width</i>
Eliot Street	Morton Road	Adams Street	1176'	55'

REPORT OF ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT

STREET RECONSTRUCTED UNDER CHAPTER 90, GENERAL LAWS:

<i>Street</i>	<i>From</i>	<i>To</i>	<i>Length</i>	<i>Street Width</i>
Pleasant Street	Bradford Road	Gun Hill Street	1580'	64'

STREETS RESURFACED UNDER CHAPTER 90 MAINTENANCE, GENERAL LAWS:

<i>Street</i>	<i>From</i>	<i>To</i>	<i>Length</i>	<i>Street Width</i>
Brook Road	Canton Avenue	Towards Randolph Avenue	590'	100'
Canton Avenue	Holmes Lane	470' Westerly	470'	50'

DRAINAGE INSTALLED:

<i>Location</i>	<i>Length</i>	<i>Size</i>	<i>No. of Catch Basins</i>	<i>No. of Manholes</i>
†Bartons Lane from Cunningham Brook along Fullers Lane to Glendale Road	28 27.7 76.1	12" 10"	4	1
Brook Road between Churchills Lane and Dudley Lane				1
*Centre Lane from Coolidge Road to Private Portion	581.10 597.5 75.1	24"	5	4
*Cunningham Brook from Bartons Lane Southerly	77.0	2-36"		
†Dean Road at Pleasant Street	60.5 19.8	10" 8"	2	
†Elmwood Avenue from Milton-Quincy Line to Granite Place	97.5	8"		1
†Franklin Street at Alvin Avenue	82.3	8"	2	1
*Gerald Road from Lyman Road toward Phyllis Lane and to Private Land	397.4 67.2	12" 8"	4	1
†Granite Place at Elmwood Avenue	36.9	8"	1	
Houston Avenue near Thacher Street	66.0	8"		
*Phyllis Lane from Gerald Road toward Nancy Road	110.8 41.5	12" 8"	2	
Pleasant Street from Badger Circle to Woodville Avenue	680.0 48.0 172.9	12" 10" 8"	7	4
*Lyman Road near Gerald Road	256.0	36"		1
*Saint Agatha Road from Public Portion to Woodward Court	165.3 103.0	10" 8"	4	1
Truro Lane through easement towards Pine Tree Brook	126.1	30"		
*Union Avenue from Blue Hill Avenue 300' Easterly	29.7	8"	2	
†Victoria Street between Ferncroft Road and Savin Street	174.5 27.1	12" 8"	2	
	4159.0'		35	15

*Installed by Contractor

†Betterment Streets

REPORT OF ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT

Number of Catch Basins in Town January 1, 1955	1825
Number of Catch Basins Constructed in 1955	35
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	1860

STREETS ACCEPTED WITHOUT BETTERMENTS:

<i>Street</i>	<i>From</i>	<i>To</i>	<i>Length</i>	<i>Street Width</i>
Centre Lane	Coolidge Road	890' Northwesterly	890'	50'
Gerald Road	Public Portion	407' Southerly	407'	50'
Phyllis Lane	Nancy Road	Gerald Road	354'	50'
Lyman Road	Gerald Road	100' Easterly and 110' Westerly	210'	50'
Ruggles Lane	School Street	88' Southerly	88'	40'
Saint Agatha Road	Public Portion	786' Northwesterly or Woodward Court	786'	40' 30'
Union Avenue	Blue Hill Avenue	330' Easterly	330'	20' 55.1'

STREETS PETITIONED FOR BETTERMENT IN 1956:

<i>Street</i>	<i>From</i>	<i>To</i>	<i>Length</i>	<i>Width</i>	<i>Est. Cost per Front Foot</i>
Beacon Street	Beacon St. Circle	Beacon Street Circle	540.69	40'	11.08720
Beacon St. Circle	Beacon Street	Beacon Street	1294.47	40'	9.888305
Crown Street	Public Portion	Decker Street	280.40	40'	11.001552
Decker Street	Blue Hill Avenue	Essex Road	833.52	30'†	8.201093
Essex Road	Public Portion	Hudson Street	471.86	40'	11.570959
Lufberry Street	Lafayette Street	Truro Lane	522.19	40'	8.032553
Lyman Road	Pleasant Street	932' Southeasterly	932.01	40'	9.923399
Nahanton Avenue	Public Portion	Blue Hills Reservat'n	1789.56	40'	6.071581
Norman Street	Blue Hill Avenue	Truro Lane	732.02	40'	8.3451253
Sassamon Avenue	Randolph Avenue	Blue Hills Reservat'n	2058.21	40'	10.429881
Truro Lane	Norman Street	Lufberry Street	989.12	40'	9.734428
Victoria Street	Ferncroft Rd. near Blue Hill Ave.	Savin Street	588.89	40'	11.03316

I extend my appreciation for the cooperation given to me by the employees of the Engineering Department, the employees of other Town Departments, the Town Officials and the Massachusetts Department of Public Works in connection with Chapter 90 Work, Chapter 91 Work, the Southeast Expressway and Route 128.

Respectfully submitted,

ALEXANDER E. MANNING
Town Engineer

REPORT OF ASSESSORS OF TAXES

REPORT OF ASSESSORS OF TAXES

December 31, 1955

To the Citizens of the Town of Milton:

The Assessors herewith submit their report for the year 1955.

At the annual election of town officers for 1955 Mr. William C. Hoxie was elected for a three year term.

On March 10th the Board organized as follows: Robert Bowie, Chairman; William C. Hoxie, Secretary

The tax rate was made on June 10, 1955 and submitted for approval. The tax rate was approved on June 13, 1955, and established at \$46.00 per thousand, a decrease of \$1.00 per thousand.

Twenty-five thousand four hundred thirty-three tax bills have been rendered by this office during 1955, their classification being as follows: 7126 Real Estate, 375 Personal Property; 7453 Polls; and 10,479 Motor Vehicle Excise.

1955 Expenses

ESTIMATED STATE & COUNTY ASSESSMENTS

(Commissioner's Estimates)

		<i>Actual Amounts Assessed by State and County</i>	
County Tax	\$ 79,672.00	\$	87,317.65
County Tuberculosis Hospital	52,973.13		48,258.31
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	\$ 132,645.13	\$	135,575.96
STATE TAXES:			
Audit of Municipal Accounts	\$ 2,227.62	\$	2,227.62
State Examination of Retirement System	508.03		508.03
Metropolitan Parks	36,094.27		38,280.59
Metro. Sewer — So. System	47,450.50		46,170.48
Metropolitan Water	44,315.36		44,315.36
Boston Metro. Dist. Expenses	67.21		67.21
Metro. Trans. Authority Deficiency	50,400.00		50,520.60
Metro. Trans. Authority — Principal Payments	6,217.95		6,217.95
Smoke Inspection Service	576.69		571.83
Underestimates to be raised01		.01
Boston Arena Authority Assessment			786.04
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	\$ 187,857.64	\$	189,665.72
Land Taking — Town Dump	\$ 7,000.00	\$	7,000.00
Land Taking — Pine Tree Brook	8,500.00		8,500.00
Police — Private Work (Southeast Expressway)	4,198.00		4,198.00
Overlay Deficit — 1954	492.24		492.24
Town Appropriations	\$3,141,616.76		
Less — Metro. Water Tax	44,315.36		
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	\$3,097,301.40	3,097,301.40	3,097,301.40

REPORT OF ASSESSORS OF TAXES

Special Town Meeting — May 24, 1955	38,132.81	38,132.81
Hurricane Carol and Edna	32,546.17	32,546.17
Town Appropriation Balances		
Transferred from Available Funds	193,140.35	193,140.35
Total Expenses	\$3,701,813.74	\$3,706,552.65

ESTIMATED STATE INCOME:

		<i>Actual Amounts Received State Only</i>
(Commissioner's Estimates)		
Income Tax	\$ 162,945.21	\$ 190,576.68
(Public School Reim. \$102,946.75)		
Business Corporation Tax	161,467.76	142,158.34
Old Age Tax	3,991.73	3,986.81
	\$ 328,404.70	\$ 336,721.83
Overestimates to be used as Available Funds	34,196.67	34,196.67
	\$ 362,601.37	\$ 370,918.50
School Construction Grants	\$ 19,507.09	
	3,963.35	
	5,000.00	
	\$ 28,470.44	28,470.44
Estimated Hurricane Reimbursement (Carol and Edna)....	29,291.55	29,291.55

ESTIMATED TOWN RECEIPTS:

Licenses	\$ 9,465.00
Fines	65.00
Special Assessments	27,000.00
	\$ 36,530.00

DEPARTMENTAL REVENUE:

Miscellaneous	\$ 765.00		
Police	14,700.00		
Inspections	5,260.00		
Forestry	2,300.00		
Health	2,425.00		
Sewer	3,190.00		
Highway	3,975.00		
Charities	15,645.00		
Old Age Assistance	79,055.00		
Veterans' Benefits	8,900.00		
Schools	2,410.00		
Libraries	3,540.00		
Cemetery	22,185.00		
	\$ 164,350.00		
Interest	5,970.00		
	\$ 170,320.00	206,850.00	206,850.00

REPORT OF ASSESSORS OF TAXES

Motor Vehicle Excise	258,000.00	258,000.00
Poll Taxes	14,866.00	14,866.00
Water Appropriation (Contra)	150,173.47	150,173.47
Water Appropriation (Contra) May 24, 1955	4,797.98	4,797.98
Excess and Deficiency	280,000.00	280,000.00

AVAILABLE FUNDS:

Available Water Surplus to Water Dept.	\$ 102,980.66	
Available Funds to Mains in Priv. Ways	9,305.18	
Sale of Land to Park Department	30,000.00	
Int. on Perpetual Care to Cemetery Dept.	13,000.00	
Available Funds to Chapter 90	3,000.00	
Available Funds to Chapter 90	24,000.00	
Overlay Reserve to Reserve Fund	10,854.51	
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	193,140.35	193,140.35

Total Receipts	\$1,528,191.16	\$1,536,508.29
Total Expenses		\$3,701,813.74
Total Receipts		<hr/> 1,528,191.16

Amount to be raised	\$2,173,622.58
Plus Overlay (to provide for):	<hr/> 47,178.53

Statutory Exemptions, Clause 17, 18, 22, 37

Approx. \$31,895.90 in 1955

Poll Tax Abatements Approx. \$2,470.

Personal Property Abatements

Approx. \$156.00

Real Estate Abatements Approx. \$3,864

Overlay Balance Approx. \$8,792

Total Levy on Real and Personal Property	\$2,220,801.11
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TAX RATE \$46.00

Total Real Estate Valuation	\$44,874,235.00 X \$46.00	\$2,064,214.81
Total Personal Property Valuation	3,404,050.00 X 46.00	156,586.30
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	\$48,278,285.00	\$2,220,801.11

The population of the Town, as computed by the Assessors as of January 1, 1955 was 24,292. Other statistics were as follows:

Number of dwelling houses assessed	6133
Number of acres of land assessed	5127.54
Number of licensed dogs	1777

Number of live stock assessed:

Horses	105
Cows	199
Bulls	31
Sheep	66
Fowl	1844

REPORT OF ASSESSORS OF TAXES

Total of all taxes committed by Assessors to Tax Collector:

1955 Real Estate Taxes	\$2,064,214.81
1955 Personal Property Taxes	156,586.30
1955 Poll Taxes	14,866.00
1955 Poll Taxes (December Levy)	40.00

Special Assessments added to 1955 real estate bills:

Sidewalk	\$	238.32	
Street Betterments		11,849.62	
Sewer Assessments		3,257.91	
Interest		4,090.55	
Forestry		226.00	
Water Liens		1,210.88	\$ 20,873.28

1954 Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes:

Committed January 13, 1955	\$	600.00
Committed January 24, 1955		5,878.33
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	\$	6,478.33

1955 Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes:

Committed May 2, 1955	\$	157,574.01
Committed November 18, 1955		194,279.42
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	\$	351,853.43

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT BOWIE
WILLIAM C. HOXIE
GEORGE S. MURRAY

REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF MILTON CEMETERY

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE MILTON CEMETERY

January 10, 1956

The Trustees of the Milton Cemetery respectfully report for the year 1955 that:

1. 244 burials were made.
2. 30 lots and 63 single graves were assigned to residents and two single graves to a non-resident.
3. 78 foundations for monuments were built. 26 markers were set, 4 of which required foundations.
4. The appropriation for 1955 for the Cemetery was \$61,387.00. Expenditures were \$59,913.45. Receipts totalled \$32,094.24 of which \$10,574.47 was interest on Perpetual Care and Trust Funds. The cost to the Town was 69c on the tax rate.
5. \$15,525.00 were added to the Perpetual Care Fund, bringing the total deposits to \$391,581.87.
6. In 1955 the first step of a three-year program was completed and the restoration and repair of trees damaged in the 1954 hurricane.
7. At the turn of the year there were laid out and ready for sale:

165 single graves, and
125 lots

The Cemetery has enough land all graded and seeded, but not laid out to make an additional 800 single graves and 277 lots.

Respectfully submitted,

NORMAN PIERCE, Chairman
CHARLES L. HIBBARD, Secretary
EDMUND J. BURKE
JOHN E. SHELDON
THOMAS WHEELER

Board of Trustees

REPORT OF FIRE DEPARTMENT

REPORT OF FIRE DEPARTMENT

January 3, 1956

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Gentlemen:

I herewith submit my report of the Fire Department for the year ending December 31, 1955.

Alarms

There were 737 alarms of fire received during the year; 198 Bell alarms, one of them a General Alarm fire, and 539 Still alarms.

Alarms Each Month

January	61	May	50	September	36
February	22	June	41	October	44
March	60	July	46	November	64
April	114	August	132	December	67

Mutual Aid

Milton to Boston	4	Boston to Milton	4
Milton to Quincy	17	Quincy to Milton	9

Work Performed

Feet of hose laid (1½ inch)	11,350	Gallons of water:	
Feet of hose laid (2½ inch)	15,900	Booster tanks	45,389
Feet of ladder raised	2,946	Tanks:	
Lines laid	46	Oxygen (medical)	27
Salvage covers	32	CO2	10

Other Calls

Inhalator-resuscitator calls during the past year numbered eleven for heart attack and shock victims. Persons locked out of homes; released children from locked and/or upper rooms; flushed streets as a result of accidents; leaking oil burners, tanks and refrigerators; overheated washing machine, dryer and refrigerator motors; gas leaks and fumes in basements; vehicle accidents and fires; television, radio and oil burner fires. The boat was used for rescue work and dragging for persons drowned. The number of flooded cellars pumped during August and November were numerous while the number of false alarms rung in during the year was twenty-six.

Once again this year this Department was called upon to render unusual assistance during the floods of August and November. Evacuation of persons in the Pine Tree Brook area was carried on, debris removed from brook bed, cellars and areaways pumped and stood by where wires were either down or burning. The Auxiliary Fire Fighters stood by during these emergencies and their assistance to the regular force and citizens of the Town was commendable.

The Auxiliary Fire Fighters, whose membership is entirely voluntary, held twenty weekly drills and monthly meetings under the supervision and direction of Fire Fighter

REPORT OF FIRE DEPARTMENT

Robert O. Tucker, who conducts his meetings with planned activities such as movies, lectures and detail assignments which helps to continue the interest of all members. The services and very excellent cooperation of all members of the Auxiliary Force has continued throughout the year and to them and Fire Fighter Robert O. Tucker, I extend my sincere thanks.

Inspections Made — Permits Issued

<i>Permits</i>		<i>Inspections</i>	<i>Permit Copies Issued</i>
Oil Burners	331	661	97
Range Burners	6	13	
Space Heaters	1	3	
Tanks:			
50 gal.	7	15	
100 gal.*	1	2	
110 gal.	1	2	
225 gal.	8	14	
275 gal.	314	623	97
Tanks underground:			
500 gal.	8	13	
1000 gal.	10	20	
1500 gal.	1	3	
2000 gal.	1	2	
5000 gal.	1	2	
20000 gal.	2	3	
Blasting	67	63	
Petroleum gases	17	37	
Out of door fire permits			1121
Inspection of stores, garages, complaints, etc.			1059

Apparatus

General repairs, maintenance and overhauling was necessary and made by the Department mechanic on all pieces of motor apparatus during the year and all the pieces of fire apparatus are in very good condition. All the pieces of fire apparatus and the Chief's car, equipped with Motorola mobile radio equipment and alternators, has had periodical check ups, thus maintained for top performance at all times.

Ladder #1 had extensive complete overhauling and general repairs.

Ladder #2 is in dire need of repainting and refinishing.

Buildings

General repairs, maintenance and upkeep were made at all three stations throughout the year. Minor roof repairs were necessary and made at the Central Fire Station as a result of the heavy winds and rains. Extensive interior work is most necessary at all three stations in the coming year.

REPORT OF FIRE DEPARTMENT

In Memoriam

FIRE FIGHTER SYLVESTER L. DONAHUE, Retired

Appointed a Call Fire Fighter June 1, 1918
Appointed a Permanent Fire Fighter May 1, 1919
Retired February 15, 1951
Deceased June 21, 1955

FIRE FIGHTER CARL R. HORNE, Retired

Appointed a Permanent Call Fire Fighter April 3, 1914
Retired November 30, 1948
Deceased December 16, 1955

FIRE FIGHTER JOSEPH H. KAES

Appointed Permanent Fire Fighter May 20, 1948
Deceased December 26, 1955

Recommendations

Once again and this year, I strongly recommend that some further and definite action be taken in regards to the purchase and assignment of a ladder truck at the Blue Hill Fire Station. Further recommendation is for a minimum of three additional men to man this ladder truck for the area. Growth, development and the various types of occupancy in this area make this request a necessity.

A further recommendation is for the appointment of a Committee to make a study of the possibility of a future fire station in the Tucker Hill, Hillside Street area.

To the Officers and men of this Department, I take great pleasure in extending to them my sincere thanks for their very fine and sincere cooperation throughout the year. I wish to thank your Honorable Board for their many courtesies, advice and assistance rendered and to all Department heads and employees who have in any way aided this Department, I am most grateful.

Respectfully submitted,

FRED E. WHELAN
Chief of Fire Department

REPORT OF FORESTRY DEPARTMENT

REPORT OF FORESTRY DEPARTMENT

December 31, 1955

To the Citizens of the Town of Milton:

This year the Forestry Department removed about 250 trees, many of which the hurricanes had weakened in 1954. In addition, hundreds of trees with broken branches were pruned to prevent or reduce damages from insects and disease.

Unfortunately we are still plagued with the Dutch elm disease, but we have tried to keep our losses to a minimum by proper spraying, removal of diseased trees, and proper pruning. We are hopeful that we can save as many elms as possible until the day of the discovery of an economical and practical means of controlling the disease.

With the rapid growth of the town and the large loss of trees in the hurricanes, we are faced with the chronic problem of how to replace old trees and how to plant along new streets, especially in new housing developments.

To answer this problem the Department is asking for a larger appropriation for planting new trees. However, the Department is too small to do what is necessary. Therefore, we are also proposing an addition to the subdivision rules of the Planning Board requiring contractors in building new roads to plant new trees under the direction of the Tree Warden. We believe this will not only save the town a considerable amount of money, but also will help make our new streets attractive.

It is with regret that we report the retirement of George F. White, after 29 years of service, as of September 1, 1955.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN T. HEMENWAY
Tree Warden

REPORT OF BOARD OF HEALTH

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH

January 25, 1956

To the Citizens of Milton:

Submitted herewith is the Annual Report of your Board of Health for the year ended December 31, 1955.

The Board organized on March 9, 1955, elected Paul R. Withington, M.D., as Chairman, Paul V. McPeake as Secretary, Thomas H. Bilodeau as Member, and appointed Edwin S. Warrell as their Agent. Also appointed were Cleveland Floyd, M.D., to conduct the Chest Conference, Howard A. Smith as Inspector of Milk and Ann Heffler, D.V.M., as Inspector of Animals and Slaughter.

Communicable Diseases

Following is a table of communicable diseases declared dangerous to the public health reported during the year and, for comparative purposes, those reported during the years 1950 through 1954:

	1955	1954	1953	1952	1951	1950
Chicken Pox	138	40	239	79	134	39
Diphtheria	0	1	0	0	1	0
Dog Bite	89	86	95	77	87	84
Dysentery, Bacillary	0	0	5	1	0	0
German Measles	3	22	83	170	12	44
Hepatitis, Infectious	2	1	0	0	0	0
Measles	330	85	212	493	147	60
Meningitis	0	0	0	0	1	0
Mumps	97	58	63	19	112	59
Ophthalmia, Neonatorium	0	0	0	0	1	0
Poliomyelitis	8	1	6	1	0	3
Salmonellosis	4	3	0	7	1	0
Scarlet Fever	47	18	6	17	17	23
Tuberculosis	1	6	6	9	10	8
Whooping Cough	3	24	2	1	19	54
Chancroid	0	0	0	0	0	1
Gonorrhea	1	0	1	0	0	0
Syphilis	0	0	8	5	6	3
TOTAL BY YEARS	723	345	726	879	548	378

The incidence of communicable diseases in Milton kept pace with surrounding communities and the State in general except in the number of diagnosed cases of poliomyelitis reported during the year. While this disease reached epidemic proportions in Massachusetts, particularly in Boston and on the South Shore during the summer months, only eight cases were reported in Milton. Although the table shows only one new case of tuberculosis reported during the year, ten reactivated cases of this disease required hospitalization in 1955.

REPORT OF BOARD OF HEALTH

Immunization Clinics

The clinics to immunize children against diphtheria and tetanus usually conducted in the last three months of each year were delayed until November and December due to the possibility of the State Polio Advisory Committee recommending that mass vaccinations with polio vaccine be resumed in October. During those two months 791 children from kindergarten through junior high school age were administered boosters, or stimulating doses, of combined antigens and 38 children never before immunized were started on original courses of three inoculations to protect against these diseases. These clinics will be completed in January when those receiving the course will have the third inoculation and an additional 54 children will receive a booster. Also, 9 pre-school children were given boosters for protection against whooping cough as well as immunization against diphtheria and tetanus and 22 were started on the original course of three inoculations at the well-child conferences conducted by the Milton Visiting Nurse Association.

As a result of numerous incidents, all of which were well publicized, the polio vaccine program planned for 1955 was never completed. At this time there are 980 Milton children known to this Board to have received two or more doses of the vaccine in 1954 and 1955 while another 350 are known to have received only one such inoculation. Now that the State Polio Advisory Committee has recommended that polio vaccinations be resumed this Board recommends that clinics be established to administer the recommended number of doses to the prescribed age groups in Milton as soon as vaccine is made available. We also recommend that a second dose be administered to those children who received only one last year.

Dental Clinics

A detailed report of this activity will be found in the school department's section of this Annual Report.

Chest Conference

The Chest Conference conducted on the first Wednesday of each month by Doctor Cleveland Floyd registered 65 new patients referred to it while 70 individuals continued under observation during the year reported upon. Doctor Floyd reports no positive cases of tuberculosis were detected and no old tuberculous lesions were found to have relapsed during the year. From this data, Doctor Floyd reports, it is probable that almost all known positive cases of tuberculosis in Milton are taken care of and the undetected cases should have most of our attention. It is in this direction, says the Doctor, that the disease can be suppressed.

While facilities do not permit routine examinations and chest X-rays of residents without referral, such examinations may be had without cost by any resident at the Norfolk County Hospital or at the Quincy Health Center by appointment.

Hospitalizations

During the year 13 individuals were hospitalized by this Board of Health for tuberculosis at the Norfolk County Hospital, 1 at North Reading State Sanatorium and 1 at Lakeville State Sanatorium. Hospital expense assistance was given in the cases of 2 premature infants during the period covered by this report.

Milk and Food Sanitation

Your milk supply continued to be of good quality. During the year 385 samples of milk were collected and tested for fat content, milk solids, bacteria count, coliform count and subjected to a phosphatase test for proper pasteurization. Five samples of

REPORT OF BOARD OF HEALTH

cream were collected and tested for each of the above, except milk solids, as were eleven samples of ice cream. With but very few exceptions all of the samples were well above minimum standards and in these few cases follow-up samples proved satisfactory. In addition, regular inspections were made of local milk producers, pasteurization and ice cream plants by our Inspector of Milk, Howard A. Smith.

Following the floods of last year, inspections were made in food handling establishments within the Town. Much contaminated food was destroyed as unfit for human consumption.

In cooperation with the school health authorities, inspections of the cafeteria facilities in all public schools continued.

Rodent Control

The rodent control program at the disposal area continued during the year in a very effective manner. Numerous complaints of rat infestation were received following the floods of last summer which necessitated control measures being instituted by this Board since entire neighborhoods were invaded. The construction of the expressway in East Milton increased the rat problem in that area but now appears under control.

Rubbish-Garbage Collection and Disposal

The collection of rubbish and garbage has been satisfactory during the year with very few complaints having been registered with this Board for non-collection or other causes. The existing contract with James A. Freaney, Inc., of Hyde Park will expire on April 30th, at which time Charles B. Bosworth of Milton will start on a three year contract for such collections.

This Board of Health is concerned with the ever increasing cost of collections of waste materials and have requested your Selectmen to insert an article in the Warrant for the 1956 Town Meeting to see if the Town will vote to appoint a Committee to investigate the advisability of the Town performing its own waste collections rather than by private contractor.

Disposal of garbage continues to be at a piggery outside the Town while rubbish is disposed of in a most satisfactory area within the Town.

Inspection of Animals and Slaughter

The Inspector of Animals reports that while no slaughtering was done in Milton in 1955 she did examine 102 dogs reported as biting humans and inspected 6 farms with 260 cows in the performance of her duties.

General

The Board recommends that Town Meeting vote to appoint the Committee to look into the advisability of establishing its own waste material collection system.

Conclusion

The Board of Health wishes to express its sincere thanks to the numerous individuals, particularly those assisting with the immunization clinics, and the several Town Departments for their excellent cooperation with its programs during the year. The school and highway departments have been exceptionally helpful.

PAUL R. WITHINGTON, M.D., Chairman
PAUL V. McPEAKE, Secretary
THOMAS H. BILODEAU, Member

REPORT OF FENCE VIEWERS

REPORT OF FENCE VIEWERS

January 16, 1956

Honorable Board of Selectmen
Milton, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

If it were not for the fact that hedges are defined as "fences" by section 2 of Chapter 49 of the General Laws, the past year would have been as uneventful and as tranquil from a fence viewing standpoint as any of the two hundred and ninety-three years that have elapsed since the incorporation of the Town in 1662.

As the result of a complaint received during the month of August, the Fence Viewers reluctantly concluded after considerable study of the General Laws, legal precedent and the facts of the case that a view had to be taken of a certain hedge and a hearing held on the merits of the controversy. We are pleased to report that our objective appraisal of the situation and our unbiased hearing of the cause has resulted in amicable settlement of the dispute. The hedge (fence), which was threatened with an early demise, is again flourishing in our temperate climate. However, to make absolutely sure that the parties will proceed to act in good faith upon our recommendations, we have continued the case generally and have, therefore, sought no fees as of the date of this report. We are also pleased to report that including the use of the Selectmen's office for the above-mentioned hearing, which was free of charge, we have expended no monies during the past year.

A letter from the Board of Selectmen, dated November 14, 1955 requested the Fence Viewers to take appropriate action in connection with a fence which was allegedly creating a traffic hazard in a certain section of that part of the Town now or formerly known as New State. By letter of November 25, 1955 to the Board, we regretfully disclaimed jurisdiction. However, in order to obviate any criticism that we were shirking our duties, we referred the Board to pertinent sections of the General Laws of the Commonwealth and General By-laws of the Towns for possible solution to the problem. We have heard no more of this matter.

As usual, we received several requests for rulings relating to Spite Fences (fifteen in all), which we disposed of as best we could, realizing as we did so that we did not and do not have jurisdiction over such matters. However, we conclude from these inquiries that the fence building business, especially the erection of fences over six feet in height, is flourishing.

We conclude our report by stating that the Fence Viewers have stood ready at all times during the past year to serve the citizens of the Town when called upon.

Respectfully submitted,

RICHARD H. SCHMIDT
GEORGE N. HURD, JR.

Fence Viewers of the Town of Milton

REPORT OF WIRE DEPARTMENT

REPORT OF WIRE DEPARTMENT

Milton, Massachusetts, January 13, 1956

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Milton, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit my report of the Wire Department for the year ending December 31, 1955.

Number of inspections made	2,045
Number of certificates issued	402
Number of incandescent lamps wired	12,406
Number of motors installed	683
Total horse power	531
Number of heaters and ranges installed	346
Total watts	3,499,300

Permits were issued as follows:

Month	Total No. Permits Issued	Original	Alterations	Fees Received
January	76	8	68	\$ 120.00
February	53	11	42	97.25
March	61	5	56	94.20
April	59	10	49	102.55
May	54	9	45	102.75
June	82	13	69	146.60
July	67	11	56	122.30
August	69	12	57	127.45
September	76	9	67	123.45
October	114	21	93	202.15
November	92	10	82	149.10
December	73	8	65	114.35
	876	127	749	\$1,502.15

Fees for the above permits amounting to One Thousand Five Hundred and Two Dollars and Fifteen Cents (\$1,502.15) have been collected and paid to the Town Treasurer.

Fire and Police Alarm Signals

New Fire Alarm Boxes have been installed at the following locations:

154 50 Dyer Avenue
165 Ridge Road and Columbia Road
363 Marshall Road

REPORT OF WIRE DEPARTMENT

514	Elm Street
523	The Ledgeway and Canton Avenue
3221	Fontbonne Academy
649	California Avenue, to be installed when work is completed on Squantum Street

New Lines Installed for Above Boxes

From Highland Street to Box 363 on Marshall Road	1,000 ft.
Houston Avenue to Box 154 on Dyer Avenue	1,200 ft.
From Box 462 to Box 165 on Ridge Road and Columbine Road	1,000 ft.
From Corner Robbins Street and Canton Avenue to Box 523 at The Ledgeway	1,250 ft.
From Corner of Brook Road and Centre Street to New Building at Fontbonne Academy (Box 3223)	1,000 ft.

Replacements and Repairs

Wire was replaced in the Fire Alarm System at the following locations:

Edge Hill Road	400 ft.
Adams Street and Church Street	400 ft.
Adams Street and Washington Street	400 ft.
Canton Avenue	3,000 ft.
Randolph Avenue	3,000 ft.

Numerous repairs were made on all circuits of the Fire Alarm System.

A new Police Box was installed at Cunningham Park and 800 feet of wire was used on same.

About 500 feet of 2 and 4 wire loom cable was used for replacement on Police Alarm System.

Due to the running of a new set of primaries by the Boston Edison Company from the Police Station to East Milton there was considerable more work of changing lines, Fire Boxes and Traffic Light Controller from old to new poles.

Considerable work was done in the various Town Departments such as installing new fluorescent fixtures, repairing switches, etc.

Traffic Lights

The following Traffic Lights were replaced due to accidents:

Two Traffic Lights were replaced at the corner of Brook Road and Randolph Avenue after being knocked down.

A Pedestrian Standard at the corner of Adams Street and Mechanic Street was knocked down and replaced.

It was necessary to relocate Pedestrian Standard at Kerrigan's Corner (Brook Road and Reedsdale Road) due to the remodeling of the front of Kerrigan's Store.

Due to the construction work of the Southeast Expressway in East Milton Square it was necessary to remove some of the Traffic Light Standards and make changes in Traffic Light Controller.

All Traffic Lights were painted and Controllers oiled and overhauled where necessary.

REPORT OF WIRE DEPARTMENT

Flood Damage

Damage to the Police, Fire and Traffic Light Systems were only minor and the Wire Department gave their assistance wherever it was needed.

New Southeast Expressway

Due to the construction of the two bridges in East Milton Square (Boulevard Street and Adams Street) it was necessary to reroute our underground cable. In doing so 600 feet of 30 conductor lead cable, 150 feet of 20 conductor cable and 150 feet of 10 conductor cable were installed and cut over from old to new and completed. It was also necessary to make overhead changes in wiring and relocate Fire Box at corner of Adams Street and Brook Road and Adams Street and Saint Agatha Road; also, due to the widening of street at these points it was necessary to set cable box back 16 feet installing new duct and cable.

At the corner of Adams Street and Squantum Street due to the widening it was necessary to change overhead construction.

Due to the building of the bridge on lower Granite Avenue it was necessary to remove all overhead construction from Courtland Circle to Granite Avenue Bridge (over Neponset River) and relocate Police Box from bridge to Courtland Circle.

A flood light was installed on the East Milton Fire Station facing Boulevard Street Bridge to light same at night until permanent lights are installed.

I wish to thank your Honorable Board for your advice and assistance during the past year, all Town Departments for their cooperation, also, the members of the Wire Department for their excellent work.

Respectfully submitted,

MARSHALL R. MacMILLAN
Inspector of Wires

REPORT OF BUILDING DEPARTMENT

REPORT OF BUILDING DEPARTMENT

January 10, 1956

Honorable Board of Selectmen
Milton, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

I hereby submit my report for the Building Department for the year ending December 31, 1955.

Month	Number of Permits	Permits for New Dwellings	Permits for New Garages	All Other	Permits for Altera- tions	Valuation	Fees Received
January	28	5	4	0	19	\$ 51,143.00	\$ 66.00
February	52	9	9	0	34	123,256.50	136.00
March	48	8	4	1	35	103,387.00	126.00
April	66	9	11	1	45	128,533.50	161.00
May	61	10	9	1	41	808,649.00	457.00
June	63	17	20	0	26	167,099.00	189.00
July	67	17	15	0	35	192,566.00	215.00
August	69	22	21	1	25	214,303.00	238.00
September	68	10	12	1	45	138,152.00	170.00
October	68	11	8	3	46	170,924.00	194.00
November	49	10	7	2	30	156,855.00	177.00
December	26	4	2	0	20	83,571.00	95.00
	665	132	122	10	401	\$2,338,439.00	\$2,224.00

On May 1, 1955, Lorenzo E. Young, Inspector of Plumbing, and John M. Hannigan, Deputy Inspector of Plumbing, were re-appointed for one year.

On May 1, 1955, I was appointed Building Inspector for one year.

On May 1, 1955, Fred P. Carlson was appointed Deputy Building Inspector for one year.

I wish to extend to the Honorable Board of Selectmen my sincere appreciation for their co-operation during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

G. P. BLENKHORN
Building Inspector

REPORT OF INSPECTOR OF PLUMBING

REPORT OF INSPECTOR OF PLUMBING

Milton, Mass., December 31, 1955

G. P. Blenkhorn, Inspector
Building Department
Town Hall, Milton 86, Mass.

Dear Sir:

Following is a summary of the work of the Department of Inspection of Plumbing for the Year 1955:

Month	Total No. Permits granted	Original work	Alterations	Fees received	Valuation of work
January	43	14	29	\$128.00	\$20,835.00
February	18	7	11	57.00	11,510.00
March	40	16	24	128.00	21,960.00
April	34	8	26	92.00	20,895.00
May	33	8	25	90.00	18,646.00
June	42	20	22	144.00	75,090.00
July	24	8	16	72.00	16,675.00
August	40	11	29	113.00	21,100.00
September	38	9	29	103.00	16,475.00
October	47	19	28	152.00	24,420.00
November	36	12	24	108.00	19,985.00
December	21	7	14	63.00	10,925.00
	416	139	277	\$1,250.00	\$278,516.00

Permit Fees which I have received on account of the Town have been paid to the Town Treasurer and Collector, whose receipts for the amounts of Twelve Hundred Fifty (\$1250.00) dollars are held by me.

Respectfully submitted,

LORENZO E. YOUNG
Inspector of Plumbing

REPORT OF SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

REPORT OF SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

Milton, Mass.
Jan. 3, 1956.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit my report of Weights and Measures.

All monies received on account of sealing and adjusting fees have been paid to Town Treasurer. This amounts to \$207.45.

Number of Scales, Weights and Measures sealed	460
Number adjusted	63
Number condemned	3
Number reweighings	1,553
Number found underweight	416
Number found overweight	1,137

Deliveries to Town measured or reweighed:

Total weight of material measured or reweighed	lbs. 457,400
Deliveries inspected	25
Deliveries found short	16
Deliveries found over ..	9

Respectfully submitted,

FREDERICK L. RIPLEY
Sealer of Weights and Measures

REPORT OF PARK DEPARTMENT

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS

December 31, 1955

Honorable Board of Selectmen
Milton, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

The Board of Park Commissioners is pleased to forward its report of the Park Department for the year 1955.

Mr. Harold S. Halliday, a member of the Board since March 23, 1944, and its Chairman for seven years, retired at the expiration of his term in March, 1955. Mr. Halliday served faithfully during his term of office. Mr. James A. Aicardi was elected in March, 1955 for a term of three years.

The Spring brought about the usual cleaning, seeding, and fertilizing of the grounds under our control. All play equipment was placed in position ready for use.

The Brook Road Playground again was the center of activity. This site is host to the High School and Central Jr. High School for the majority of their athletic events. Our Field House, located on this site, serves all the visiting teams that participate in athletic contests. The Tennis Courts were completely re-surfaced with a special material and now afford excellent facilities for this type of play. During the fall 2500 feet of chain link fence was painted.

Over one acre of the Orrin A. Andrews Playground was loamed and seeded during the year. It is anticipated that it will not be too long before the entire area will be ready for play activities.

Five hundred feet of chain link fence was also painted at this Playground during the year. For 1956 we have asked the necessary funds to construct a parking area and an outdoor basketball court as we find the need very much evident.

This year brought about the completion of the Mary Chase Lane Memorial Playground as far as loaming and seeding. If the need becomes evident, a small junior size diamond will be laid out for future play. Chain link fence was erected along Churchill's Lane for the safety of the children.

The March, 1955, Town Meeting voted that the Board take by eminent domain the property commonly known as "Turner's Pond." There are no plans at this time for the development of the property.

The summer playground program was carried out by our competent staff of Recreation Leaders. This program was conducted at the Brook Road Playground, Orrin A. Andrews Playground, and the Eliot Street Playground. In spite of a very hot season, large numbers of children participated in the various programs conducted. Conducted trips to the Esplanade Concerts, Science Museum, Charles River Basin, Adams' Houses, and a Boston Red Sox game proved very popular.

The basketball program was again conducted at the gyms of the High School and the Mary A. Cunningham Jr. High School. Over 300 boys from the sixth grade on participate in supervised play of basketball on Saturdays and vacation days.

The Board is aware of the continued growth and development of the Town, especially in the Blue Hill area in the vicinity of Robbins Street and the Tucker Hill

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area. Detailed studies are being made in conjunction with the over-all plan of the Planning Board.

The Park Commissioners are cognizant of the assistance and co-operation given our Department by other Departments of the Town during the year and wish to thank them sincerely. Our thanks go to our own employees, both regular and part-time, for the fine job they have done over the year.

Respectfully submitted,

BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS
M. JOSEPH MANNING, JR., Chairman
JAMES A. AICARDI, Secretary
ELBERT P. FLETCHER

REPORT OF POLICE DEPARTMENT

REPORT OF POLICE DEPARTMENT

January 12, 1956

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit my report for the year ending December 31, 1955.

Arrests

Total	220
Males	205
Females	15

Offenses

Assault and battery	6
Breaking and entering	6
Debtor considered in contempt	1
Delinquency	11
Disturbing the peace	8
Drunkenness	72
Forgery	1
Illegitimacy	1
Larceny	10
Lewd and lascivious cohabitation	2
Motor Vehicle Laws, violating	61
Neglect of family	3
Non-support	3
Operating under the influence	19
Parole violation	3
Suspicious Persons	2
Town By-Laws, violating	4
Using motor vehicle without authority	7

Miscellaneous Work

Ambulance calls	492
Automobile accidents	219
(182 personal injuries — 3 deaths)	
Automobiles found abandoned	15
Automobiles reported stolen	10
Bicycles registered	183
Buildings found open and secured	523
Buildings broken into	57
Cases investigated by officers	3815
Dead bodies cared for	10
Defective bridges	1
Defective hydrants and pipes	17
Defective poles	21

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Defective streets and sidewalks	42
Defective trees	38
Defective wires	65
Disturbances suppressed	43
Dogs ordered restrained	121
Houses reported vacant and special attention requested	1467
Lost children restored	33
Missing persons reported	11
Insane persons taken in charge	27
Motor vehicle licenses suspended	20
Officers detailed at request of citizens	1316
Sick and injured persons assisted	203
Street obstructions removed	46
Writs served for other departments	697

It gives me great pleasure to report that we do not have a Juvenile Delinquency problem, as such, in the Town. We have had some cases of vandalism but for the most part the young people in the Town have behaved very well.

The new combination ambulance and patrol wagon is giving very satisfactory service and is a great improvement over the LaSalle, which it replaced. The fact that the new ambulance is equipped with a three-way radio has also helped us to give more efficient service. Our four cruising cars have been in service night and day and I recommend that they be replaced.

Several promotions were made during the year. I was appointed Chief, May 20th. Lieutenants Charles L. Laffan, Stephen J. Slack, Jr., and Thomas F. Doyle were also promoted from Sergeant on the same date. Deputy Chief John W. Dalton was promoted from Acting Deputy Chief on October 27th. Dennis J. Doyle was promoted to the rank of Sergeant on May 20th and Walter F. Nolan was made Sergeant on June 30th.

Acting Chief Chamberlain, a member of the Department since 1918 and Deputy Chief since 1937, retired on May 20th.

Miss Anne Healy, stenographer and clerk of this Department for many years, retired September 1st. The vacancy has been filled by a provisional appointment pending a Civil Service examination.

During the year, Patrolmen Richard J. Cox and Kenneth L. Taber resigned from the Department.

Prior to the start of the school year, six women were appointed by the Selectmen to be school traffic supervisors. To date these women have been very efficient.

Our Detective Department, now under the direction of Lt. Charles L. Laffan, has done an excellent job and has been instrumental in solving many of the crimes which have been committed.

The morale of the Department has been very good and the members are to be commended for the fine work that they have done.

The Department has been hampered by a lack of manpower. I recommend that the authorized strength be increased to fifty-two men. At the present time, this means that eight new men should be added.

The Police Station is still inadequate and in bad need of repair. I sincerely hope that some action will be taken to renovate the present structure or replace it.

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The Milton Auxiliary Police Officers responded in large numbers during the bad flooding conditions of this past summer and are to be commended for the fine assistance which they gave to this Department and the Town.

To the officers and men of the Department, I wish to extend my sincere thanks for their loyalty and cooperation given me since I became Chief. I also wish to thank the Board of Selectmen, the Justices, Clerks and Probation Officers of the Courts, and officials and employees of other Town Departments who have assisted us during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN E. WHEARTY
Chief of Police

REPORT OF MILTON PLANNING BOARD

REPORT OF PLANNING BOARD

December 31, 1955

To the Citizens of the Town of Milton:

The Planning Board submits the following report for the year 1955.

At the annual election of officers in March, Mr. Ray A. Hinds was elected for a five year term. On June 6th the Planning Board regretfully accepted the resignation of Mr. Walter S. Robbins who served the Board ably and conscientiously for three years. Mr. George N. Hurd, Jr. was appointed June 16th to fill the vacancy.

During the year, the Planning Board held twenty-five meetings included in which were nineteen public hearings, seventeen on proposed land subdivisions held under the Subdivision Control Law and the Rules and Regulations of the Planning Board, and two on proposed amendments to the Zoning By-Law. Of the latter hearings, one was held January 27th in the Town Hall on the petition of ten or more citizens to amend Chapter 10 of the General By-Laws by changing Residence "C" District to Residence "B" District in the area commonly known as Turner's Pond. The Planning Board, with one member dissenting, voted against this petition as did the Town at the annual Town Meeting. The second petition for a proposed amendment to the Zoning By-Law covering technical changes in some of the sections was for the purpose of clarifying the meaning of these sections and was approved by the Planning Board and later by a two-thirds majority vote at the annual Town Meeting.

With considerable interest being shown on the part of the citizens of the Town in the Zoning By-Laws and its effect on land subdivisions, the Planning Board feels that it might be of interest to ascertain to what extent new subdivisions requiring public hearings have affected the growth of the Town during 1955. In Residence "C" District, five public hearings were held on four proposed subdivisions in which one hundred twenty-one house lots were involved. The layouts covering thirty-three of these were approved by the Planning Board of which sixteen are currently under development, fourteen taken by the State for route 128 and the remaining three are held up pending court action. In Residence "B" District, three public hearings were held on two proposed developments in which fifty-three lots were involved. These layouts were approved by the Planning Board and are currently being developed. In Residence "A" District, nine public hearings were held on nine proposed developments in which eighty-one lots were involved. Eight of the proposed developments with a total of sixty-eight lots were approved but only sixty of these are being developed and the remaining eight are held up by the developer pending settlement of action taken by him against the Town.

During the year, the Planning Board met with various Boards and Committees on Town affairs as well as with private individuals interested in zoning, subdivision and planning.

The Planning Board recognizes the importance of periodically making careful studies of the needs and possibilities of the Town and its responsibilities in reporting information regarding its condition and any plans or proposals for its improvement and development to the citizens of the Town.

The excessive rainfall experienced in Milton during the late summer and the fall months pointed up the need to proceed on the Pine Tree Brook clearance project without any delay. We again recommend that money be appropriated for the continuation of this work.

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As on numerous occasions in the past, the Planning Board again advocates the widening of Adams Street, between East Milton Square and the Quincy line, and its construction by the County Commissioners. A widening carried out in this manner would cause the least damage and inconvenience to the residents and business establishments along the way. We feel this to be the case because in preparing widening plans the Town would be more considerate of the property owners than was the case in the widening of that part of Adams Street west of the Square.

The Planning Board wishes to thank the personnel in various Town departments and on Town Boards and Committees for their cooperation and assistance.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN H. BOWIE, Chairman
BENJAMIN R. ALEXANDER
EDWARD DYSON
RAY A. HINDS
GEORGE N. HURD, JR.

REPORT OF BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE

REPORT OF BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE

January 12, 1956

To the Citizens of the Town of Milton:

There has been little change in the administration of our Welfare Department this past year. The staff has been ready at all times to meet the emergencies that have arisen, provide the needs and help with the problems of persons seeking assistance.

We were pleased to have Miss Barbara M. Wickes, Senior Clerk-Secretary, promoted to Principal Clerk-Secretary as of January 1, 1955, having passed a promotional Civil Service examination with gratifying results. There is need for the services of another full-time clerk-stenographer, but because of limited space and equipment, we can avail ourselves of part-time intermittent help only. The Board and staff are looking forward to the time when the Town will provide new office quarters suitable for the needs of a social agency. Our present quarters, located in the basement of the Town Hall, are most inadequate, being crowded, poorly ventilated and poorly lighted.

The department has continued to administer the Medical Care Plan which was inaugurated by the State Department of Public Welfare July 1, 1954. Amendments to the plan have been made during the year; there has been no letup of the pressure imposed upon the staff by this program—it is most time-consuming. The co-operation of the doctors, druggists and other medical vendors who do conform to the Medical Care Plan has been greatly appreciated. Dr. Seth C. Crocker was appointed as Medical Consultant for a second year. He has given generously of his time and counsel; his understanding of our problems as well as that of the Medical Profession, has been a great help to the department. As the Medical Care Plan develops, we find the need for Dr. Crocker's services is more defined, and we will benefit by more frequent use of his decisions and advice in 1956.

We present the following statistics which may be of interest:

	Active as of Jan. 1, 1955	Applications		Cases Closed	Active as of Dec. 31, 1955
		Received	Approved		
Old Age Assistance	186	39	35	36	185
Aid to Dependent Children	12	2	1	3	10
Disability Assistance	15	5	5	2	18
General Relief	3	5	2	2	3
Notices received from Cities and towns for Old Age Assistance					47
Notice received from Milton Hospital and from cities and towns for General Relief and hospitalization					75

Below we compare the past two years on an *AVERAGE MONTHLY* basis:

Old Age Assistance:			
	Cases	Aggregate Paymt.	Per Case
1954	189	\$14,844	\$ 78.47
1955	184	15,346	83.60
Aid to Dependent Children:			
1954	14	1,787	129.25
1955	13	1,685	133.30

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Disability Assistance:

1954	16	1,648	99.88
1955	15	1,693	108.14

The above shows that although the case load was lower in 1955, the amount expended and the average paid per case were higher. This was due largely to the increase in medical costs. Hospital charges were substantially higher in 1955, and we are advised that the rates will be further increased in 1956. 1955 legislation increased payments to licensed boarding and nursing homes for care of persons receiving assistance. The Visiting Nurses' fees were increased. The majority of persons applying for assistance find it necessary to do so because they are faced with a prolonged illness requiring hospital and nursing-home care, and it is not possible for them to pay for long-term medical care at today's costs. The number of recipients in nursing homes has, therefore, increased. The two excellent nursing homes which we have in Milton cannot accommodate all our recipients needing nursing care, and it is necessary for our Milton people to be in nursing and boarding homes in many surrounding communities, thus necessitating extra travel for our workers.

The 1955 Legislature also provided for a \$2.50 a month "transportation allowance" to all Old Age Assistance recipients, except those in licensed nursing homes. This additional grant became effective January 1, 1956.

In past reports we have referred to the lien on real estate required under the Old Age Assistance law since January 1, 1952. During 1955 recoveries were made on three liens totaling \$7,555.09. We refer you to the Town Accountant's financial statement for total receipts and expenditures of our department.

We wish to express our gratitude to the many individuals and organizations in the Town who have been most helpful this past year, and also to the other Town Departments for their continued co-operation.

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD C. JOHNSON 2d, Chairman

G. PHILIP GRABFIELD, M.D.

JOSEPH J. O'BRIEN

OLIVER S. SUGHRUE

FLORENCE CLOTHIER WISLOCKI, M.D.

REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF THE MILTON PUBLIC LIBRARY

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF MILTON PUBLIC LIBRARY

January 10, 1956

To the Citizens of Milton:

Another busy year for the Library has passed into history. Our total circulation of books increased over the previous year by approximately 8,000, and the number of phonograph records loaned exceeded last year's figure by about 1,000. The exact figures for these and other statistics are included in the report of the Librarian which is submitted herewith as part of the report of the Trustees.

Early in the year the Trustees accepted with regret the resignation from the Board of Mrs. Ruth E. Pierce. Mrs. Pierce first became a Trustee in May 1932. In the course of her service of more than twenty-three years she brought to the Library an enthusiastic and continuing interest in its work and its progress, as well as a broad understanding and knowledge of literature. Her contribution was an important one.

On May 15th, not only the Library, but our whole community suffered a loss in the death of James F. Ballard. Mr. Ballard had been a trustee since 1931. Preeminent in the field of medical library work, to which he had devoted his life, he possessed an experience and a quality of judgment in library affairs which cannot be replaced. We miss him and shall continue to miss him as a valuable member of our board. In his memory the members of Mr. Ballard's family have presented to the Library one of his bookcases which we accept with grateful appreciation, and which now stands in the main lobby of the central building.

Another gift which we acknowledge with thanks is a set of three most interesting albums of photographs of old Milton, presented to the Library by The Milton Historical Society. They were compiled by Colonel Edward P. Hamilton from collections assembled by the late Jesse B. Baxter, the late Margaret Sutermeister, and by Colonel Hamilton himself. They will make a noteworthy addition to the Library's collection of Milton historical material.

The Historical Society has also offered to loan to the Library the large gilt framed mirror formerly owned by Governor Hutchinson, and which recently hung in the Belcher House. Although the mirror is not as yet in place this offer has been accepted by the Trustees with gratitude.

Among our new projects, the children's room on the lower floor of the East Milton branch deserves special mention. This room is now in the process of being renovated and fitted up through funds from the income of the Nathaniel T. Kidder Trust. We expect it to be ready for use in the early fall, and it should provide a fine and much needed addition to the library facilities in the East Milton area.

The committee appointed by the Moderator, following the Town Meeting last March, to work out new plans for an addition to the Central Library building have been hard at work. Under the chairmanship of Mr. Louis J. Mathieu they have concluded that an addition to the present structure is needed, and they have developed a plan which they will recommend for adoption at the coming Town Meeting. We hope that the Town will vote to accept the plan and authorize the construction of the addition.

REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF THE MILTON PUBLIC LIBRARY

During the past year the Library continued to maintain a full winter schedule throughout the summer months, and remained open on all Saturdays, including those of the long holiday week ends. In doing so, however, it departed from the custom followed by many libraries, of closing on Saturday during the summer. Whether we can continue this schedule during the coming summer is a question in view of the limited staff with which we are now operating.

Our Library, in common with many others in this part of the country, is finding itself increasingly handicapped by the growing difficulty of securing the services of trained personnel. Higher rates of pay and other benefits now being offered by libraries in the mid-west and far west are attracting a constantly larger proportion of the graduates of our eastern library schools, and the situation deserves our serious consideration. Failure to correct it could well result before long in impairing the quality of library service in many of our New England town libraries.

It is a pleasure to welcome the two new members of our Board of Trustess, elected during the past year. They are Mrs. Ralston B. Smyth of 294 Edge Hill Road, and Mr. William J. Daly, Jr. of 391 Eliot Street. We are delighted to have them with us.

In closing this report I wish to express on behalf of all the Trustees our thanks to the Librarian and to the staff for the diligence and the fine spirit of co-operation which has characterized their work throughout the year. We are grateful to them all.

Respectfully submitted,

KNIGHT AMES
DORIS A. BRIDGES
WILLIAM J. DALY, JR.
BOWMAN GRATON
JOHN B. MOORE
ARTHUR B. PERRY
ELIZABETH S. SMYTH
ROGER WOLCOTT
C. RODGERS BURGIN, Chairman
Trustees of the Milton Public Library

REPORT OF THE LIBRARIAN

MILTON PUBLIC LIBRARY ANNUAL REPORT

To the Board of Trustees of the Milton Public Library I have the honor of presenting the annual report for the year ending December 31, 1955. This is the eighty-fourth annual report of the Library.

1955 has been a good year at the Milton Library despite major setbacks. Measured by the one yardstick by which the public gauges the library — the circulation figures — it has been an excellent year. 209,173 books were circulated. This is an increase of 8,502 over last year's figures. However, there are many other gauges of a library's success, and these show that Milton Library is at a standstill in providing modern library service.

A ten per cent rise in the cost of books during the year meant that our book budget could not be stretched to cover the demand for books on all subjects. About five hundred fewer volumes were added in 1955. The lag in new books was commented on by many patrons. Good books on many subjects had to be passed by to allow for the "must" purchases. Fund money was used for the reference works, and for several major selections of fine music, art, and nature books.

49,076 persons used the library facilities during the year. Many of these expressed pleasure in the interesting exhibits they found around the building, the increased stock of magazines, the library's attempt to bring more readable books out of the stacks, and the booklist provided each month. Another group of borrowers was just as loud in adverse criticism of inadequate space allotted to young adult books, of the lack of a reading room for adults, of lack of organized programs for school children and pre-schoolers, of the static nature of the overcrowded record collection, and of the noticeable lack of staff. These people were entirely justified in their criticism. It has been difficult for us to know of our faults, and be unable to do much about them.

Survey of the Library

This summer and fall the Library was surveyed by two experts in the library field, and by two members of the Division of Library Extension of the State Department of Education, also experts in library services. Since these surveys will be given elsewhere in the Town Report for 1955 we will not dwell on them here. Both surveys corroborated the findings of past building committees, and the complaints of library users. The whole thing boiled down to the fact that the library of today is a different institution with different functions than the library of even twenty years ago, and it must not be expected to flourish within the same building nor by the same pattern. We are most grateful to these surveyors who have pointed out our weak spots, and made valuable suggestions by which we can plan our future program.

Adult Services

The usual book services to police and fire stations, rest homes, and the Milton Hospital were conducted as in former years.

The record collection has been increasingly popular again this year. There is a growing demand for non-musical records.

The Circulation Department has suffered the most from lack of staff and lack of books. It has become increasingly more difficult to "Get the right book to the right

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person." In December, because of lack of staff this department was forced to suspend, temporarily, the sending of overdue notices to patrons. This usually takes one assistant's entire afternoon each day. It seems rather unnecessary to do this when a little more care on the part of each of our borrowers would eliminate this task. This past year fine money turned over to the Town Treasurer totalled more than \$3,900.

Interlibrary loan service has been active in 1955, with several neighboring libraries borrowing from us, and we in turn using Boston, Newton, Quincy, and the Division of Library Extension collections as our sources of material.

Services for Children and Young Adults

The Children's Department has continued to show a gratifying increase in circulation this year. This is also true in the branch libraries. The school library service showed a slight decrease in book circulation, but this is due to the late opening of the schools. Two weeks of library instruction and circulation were lost in this manner.

At programs held in the respective schools the juvenile readers were presented with their reading certificates. "Bookworm bookmarks" were given to those pupils who read seventy-five of the approved reading list. As a great surprise the library awarded "Bookworm pins" to five children who successfully passed the requirements for reading one hundred of this approved list.

At the Milton High School Graduation a book prize was awarded to Katherine O'Donnell in recognition of her inquiring mind and her wide appreciative reading.

This summer, because of lack of staff, the bookmobile visits to the playgrounds were cancelled. This service will be resumed as soon as possible.

We eagerly await the day when we can present film and story hours, summer reading programs, pre-school music and story hours, parents' book clinics, and educational exhibits in the juvenile departments.

We have had several demonstrations this fall of what happens when forty to sixty pupils try to use the facilities in the reading room which is set up for thirty students. The Young Adults should have their own room, managed by a selected committee of high school students under the supervision of the Young Adult Librarian, and offering adequate space for those who come to the library for study or recreational reading. This would do away with the chaotic conditions which have existed several evenings lately. We are doing the best we can to satisfy the needs of this group.

The Staff

In common with other libraries in this region we are experiencing the continued inconvenience of staff shortages. Serious illnesses also have kept some of our staff members out of service for a time.

Mrs. Edward Hubbard was forced to resign her position as library assistant because of illness, and Mrs. Richard Barstow resigned as head of the Circulation Department when her husband was transferred out of New England. Mrs. Frank Blair of Milton recently joined the staff to take Mrs. Hubbard's place, but as yet no qualified person has applied for the circulation job.

Because of an emergency we were deprived of one of our college girl summer substitutes just at the beginning of the vacation period. This left the Central Library staff quite crippled. It is only because of the splendid cooperation of each staff member that we have been able to go on giving the usual services at the circulation desk.

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Each member of the staff has attended at least one professional meeting during the year. In several cases these meetings were also attended by a member of the Board of Trustees. This year there has been less attendance at meetings than is customary, but we hope to resume these educational visits as soon as we have a full staff again. Staff members have participated actively in programs put on at meetings in other libraries, and have brought much credit to the Milton Library.

Four staff members were able to attend the American Library Association Conference at Philadelphia. Much benefit was derived from these meetings, but it proved to be an endurance contest with the thermometer hovering around 98° during the entire session.

Branch Libraries

East Milton Branch

The East Milton Branch has been at times almost completely isolated on an island in a sea of construction, but strangely enough the library business held its own and a gain of one hundred in circulation is reported.

The big news here is the proposed solution for the large increase in the juvenile use of the library. In 1951 juvenile circulation was 10,900, and in 1955 it reached 14,476 in spite of the road construction and the request from the Selectmen that children be kept out of that section of town. This increase in business prompted the Trustees to decide to use the interest accumulated from the N. T. Kidder Fund to convert the lecture room in the basement into a children's room.

This will give the adults more room and a more restful atmosphere upstairs. The custodians have been busy this fall and winter painting walls and ceiling, and re-finishing furniture. Some new furniture will be purchased, and with new bookcases lining the walls the room should provide an attractive place for neighborhood children to spend many delightful hours.

The adult room also will be treated to some new furniture. Small study tables will be placed in the Young Adult area, and the adult side will have lounge corners and more small tables. We hope these changes will be complete by September, but we have discovered that more problems can arise with a simple furniture order than would be dreamed possible.

The Kidder Branch

The Kidder Branch has again showed a substantial increase (over 2,000) in circulation.

The card catalog has been completed this year, and the project is proving very useful.

A staff manual listing branch procedures is also complete, and should be of great assistance to high school pages and new librarians.

If the new children's room at East Milton is a success the same project should be repeated at Kidder. Here again the juvenile circulation is increasing by leaps and bounds, and the children should have their own room where they can have their own activities without disturbing adult readers.

Scotts Woods Reading Room

This little branch has also shown an increase in circulation. Here again the increase is mostly in juvenile reading. More children's books will be sent to this branch in the future to satisfy these readers.

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Cards were sent out to all new families in this area to acquaint them with their library branch. Several new borrowers responded, but there is still a chance for many more people to discover the fine library service available at this little reading room.

Demand continues for longer hours and more books. A more permanent method of heating should be explored for this room if these demands are satisfied.

Library Housekeeping

From time to time it becomes necessary to weed out old, ragged, and out-moded books from the library stacks. This was the year we had planned to do this task, but we did not get far. We did a thorough job in the Periodical Room, but the heat came early and stayed late, and the book stacks became unbearable places to work. Also the staff was needed to serve on the circulation desk. So the whole project was abandoned with only the 100's and the 200's completely weeded. This project will continue in 1956.

Another housekeeping problem we had hoped to start this summer was a non-fiction inventory. The reference collection was checked through once, but the same factors affecting the discarding caused us to abandon the rest of this project. It will have to be saved for a cooler summer when we have more clerical help.

During the year the task of reguiding the main catalog has progressed nearly to a finish. New Tilted-tab guides, easier to read, are replacing the old dogeared labels.

The pamphlet files and picture files received a renovation this year, too. New drawers were added to hold an art collection and vocational guidance material, both in response to many requests.

Major repairs have been made to the Central Library roof, but we have been told we still must have the entire surface redone very soon.

Fluorescent lighting was installed in the Central Library first floor stack area this summer. Most patrons and the staff are delighted that they can at last see the bottom shelves after dark.

Acknowledgments

During the year our friends have presented us with 1,524 books. Many of these have been saved for future replacements, while others with the consent of the donor were distributed to other libraries who needed them more than we did.

Four phonograph records, three magazine subscriptions, and an interesting file of foreign postcards were also given us.

The Milton Savings Bank has supplied the usual attractive bookmarks that save our book corners and delight our patrons.

We should also like to express our thanks to the other town departments who are always so willing to help when an emergency arises. This year we have been forced to call on several departments for various tasks, and all were most cooperative.

MARJORIE R. SHAW
Librarian

REPORT OF THE LIBRARIAN

Library Statistics

Name of Library	Milton Public Library
Date of Founding	1872
Librarian	Marjorie R. Shaw
Population served	24,292
Assessed valuation of the Town	\$48,278,285
Terms of use	Free for lending and reference
Total number of agencies	Central Library, 3 Branch Libraries, 2 Elementary school libraries, 1 Hospital Book collection, 1 Rest Home deposit, 3 Fire Station deposits, 1 Police Station deposit, 40 Classroom deposits.
Days open	301½
Hours open each week	Central 63; Branches 33
Volumes added during the year	4,281
Volumes withdrawn during the year	2,000
Volumes in library, December 31, 1955	79,548
Number of phonograph records loaned	4,454
Volumes of adult non-fiction loaned	53,863
Volumes of juvenile non-fiction loaned	27,120
Volumes of juvenile fiction loaned	51,751
Volumes of adult fiction loaned	76,439
Total number of books loaned	209,173
Volumes loaned for school use	23,631
Number of registered borrowers	11,551
Number of new borrowers	1,230
Percent of population registered	47 + %
Per capita cost of library service to the Town	\$3.34

REPORT OF LIBRARY TREASURER

REPORT OF LIBRARY TREASURER

Milton, Massachusetts, January 10, 1956

To the Trustees of The Milton Public Library:

The following tabulation summarizes, at December 31, 1955, the investments of funds in the control of the Library Trustees:

	Principal		Income	
	Book Amount	Market Value	Receipts in 1955	Yield on Book Amount
U. S. Treasury bonds	\$ 8,000.00	\$ 7,683.00	\$ 184.21	2.30%
U. S. Savings Bonds	4,000.00	3,908.00	105.20	2.63%
Railroad bonds	4,939.13	4,075.00	195.00	3.95%
Bank stocks	3,620.74	13,117.55	493.50	13.63%
Other stocks	840.59	1,007.52	64.86	7.72%
Savings bank deposits	3,458.93	3,458.93	103.16	3.00%
	<u>\$24,859.39</u>	<u>\$33,250.00</u>	<u>\$1,145.93</u>	4.61%

In comparison with the end of the previous year it will be noted that the total book amount of principal did not change during 1955; that the aggregate market value at the year end exceeded the book amount by approximately \$8,400 and that 1955 income was only slightly more than 1954 income.

Within the investment portfolio the only change was the receipt of 59 shares of Norfolk County Trust Co. received in October as a 25% stock dividend, 1 share for each 4 shares held at that time plus a cash adjustment (for fractional shares involved), of \$19.00 which was deposited in a savings account. This transaction had no effect on the total book amount of investments.

The New England Trust Company, as custodian furnished us with a detailed certified list of the securities and savings bank books which they held in safekeeping for our account as at December 31, 1955.

Two statements are attached as part of this report. One shows the details of the investments in each fund and the other sets forth the receipts of income from those funds and the disbursements from that income.

Practically all of the 1955 income from funds in hands of the Trustees was expended for books. The total spent for books, periodicals, records and special purposes from funds available to the Trustees from all sources was as follows:

REPORT OF LIBRARY TREASURER

From donated funds:

In custody of Library Trustees per statement herewith (books)		\$1,133.96
In custody of Town Treasurer (see his report): Nathaniel T. Kidder Fund:		
Renovation, Children's room, East Milton	\$1,517.05	
Exhibits	57.25	
Milton Education Society Fund:		
Music records	466.00	
Oakland Hall Fund:		
Books	557.78	2,598.08
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Total from donated funds		<u>\$3,732.04</u>

From Town appropriations:

Books	8,970.79	
Periodicals	821.11	
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		<u>\$9,791.90</u>

Thanks to the gracious assistance of our busy Librarian, Miss Shaw, and the pleasant people at The New England Trust Company, the compilation of this report has not been a task.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN B. MOORE, Treasurer

REPORT OF LIBRARY TREASURER

TRUSTEES OF MILTON PUBLIC LIBRARY FUNDS IN CUSTODY OF TREASURER, JOHN B. MOORE

At December 31, 1955

		<i>Book Amount</i>
Ellen Channing Fund		
\$ 500.00	Boston & Maine R.R. 1st 4 7/1/60	\$ 486.25
500.00	Boston & Main R.R. Inc. 4½ 7/1/70	486.25
1,000.00	U. S. Savings Bond "G" 2½ 11/1/57	1,000.00
1,000.00	U. S. Savings Bond "K" 6/1/66	1,000.00
1,000.00	U. S. Treasury Bond 2½ 6/15/69-64	1,000.00
1,000.00	U. S. Treasury Bond 2½ 3/15/70-65	1,000.00
3,000.00	U. S. Treasury Bond 2½ 6/15/62-59	3,000.00
	Deposit in Milton Savings Bank	87.50
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		\$ 8,060.00
Joseph McKean Churchill Fund		
	Deposit Provident Inst. for Savings	\$ 218.84
Consolidated Fund		
	Deposit in Suffolk Savings Bank	\$ 62.77
Draper Memorial Fund		
1,000.00	U. S. Savings Bond "K" 2½ 1/1/66	\$ 1,000.00
Rose Dabney Forbes Fund		
	Deposit in Milton Savings Bank	\$ 100.00
Waldo Emerson Forbes Fund		
500.00	Boston & Maine R. R. 1st 7/1/60	\$ 487.63
500.00	Boston & Main R.R. Inc. 4½ 7/1/70	487.62
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		\$ 975.25
Marion D. Hollingsworth Fund		
1,000.00	U. S. Savings Bond "G" 2½ 8/1/61	\$ 1,000.00
	1 share American Tel. & Tel. Co.	108.34
	Deposit in Suffolk Savings Bank	104.20
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		\$ 1,212.54
Henry P. Kidder Fund		
2,000.00	N.Y. Central & H.R. R.R. Lake Shore	
	Coll. ¾ 2/1/98	\$ 2,000.00

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Augusta Allen Martin Fund

42 shares Norfolk County Trust Co.	\$ 1,256.00
Deposit in Milton Savings Bank	19.00
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	\$ 1,275.00

Milton Woman's Club Fund

5 share Eastern Gas & Fuel Associates	
4½ Preferred Stock	\$ 427.50
Deposit in Suffolk Savings Bank	170.96
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	\$ 598.46

Sarah Vose Fund

2 shares American Tel. & Tel. Co.	\$ 216.00
\$1,000.00 Baltimore & Ohio R.R. Pitts, Lake Erie & W. Va. Ref. 4 1/1/80	991.38
255 shares Norfolk County Trust Co.	1,247.50
1 share Eastern Gas & Fuel Associates	
4½ Preferred Stock	88.75
22 shares First Natl. Bank of Boston	1,117.24
Deposit Provident Inst. for Savings	1,025.76
Deposit Suffolk Savings Bank	938.49
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	\$ 5,625.12

Joseph C. Whitney Fund

1,000.00 U. S. Treasury Bonds 2½ 8/15/63	\$ 1,000.00
Deposit Suffolk Savings Bank	85.00
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	\$ 1,085.00

J. Huntington Wolcott Fund

Deposit in Milton Savings Bank	\$ 460.41
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Roger Wolcott Fund

2,000.00 U. S. Treasury Bond 2½ 12/15/69-64	\$ 2,000.00
Deposit in Suffolk Savings Bank	186.00
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	2,186.00

Totals	\$24,859.39
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INCOME FROM FUNDS — Year Ended December 31, 1955

Balance of income cash in The New England Trust Company; January 1, 1955	\$ 782.47
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Income from funds in name of:

Ellen Channing	\$ 215.22
Joseph McKean Churchill	6.56
Consolidated	1.88
Draper Memorial	27.60

REPORT OF LIBRARY TREASURER

Rose Dabney Forbes	3.00	
Waldo Emerson Forbes	42.50	
Marion D. Hollingsworth	40.74	
Henry P. Kidder	70.00	
Augusta Allen Martin	61.80	
Milton Woman's Club	27.62	
Sarah Vose	560.36	
Joseph C. Whitney	19.27	
Roger Wolcott	55.58	
J. Huntington Wolcott	13.80	
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Total income receipts		1,145.93
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		\$1,928.40
Disbursements:		
For books	\$1,133.96	
The New England Trust Co. — custodian fee	16.17	
Bank charges, for services and new checkbook	6.80	
Supplies	21.50	
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Total disbursed from income		1,178.43
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Balance of income cash in The New England Trust Company — December 31, 1955		\$ 749.97
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JOHN B. MOORE, Treasurer
Milton Public Library

REPORT OF SEWER COMMISSIONERS

REPORT OF THE SEWER COMMISSIONERS

January 1, 1956

The Board of Sewer Commissioners makes the following report of operations of the Sewer Department during the year ending December 31, 1955.

General

Population by the Assessors' Census of 1955	24,292
Estimated length of streets of the Town (miles)	101.85
Percentage of length provided with sewers	58.74%
Method of disposal	Metropolitan System

Collection Mains

	For Sewage			
	Town-built Sewers	Privately- built Sewers	Total Town and Private	
LINEAR FEET:				
Total, Dec. 31, 1954	299,599.3	35,806.3	335,405.6	700 (storm overflow)
Extended, 1955	5,448.1	5,679.1	11,127.2	
	305,047.4		346,532.8	
Abandoned (S.E. Expressway)....	—200.5*		—200.5*	
Total, Dec. 31, 1955	304,846.9	41,485.4	346,332.3	
Miles:	57.736	7.857	65.593	

Number of manholes	1888
Number of inverted siphons	4
Number of storm overflows	1
Number of emergency overflows	11
Number of automatic pumping stations	5
Linear feet of force main (6")	1359.4
Linear feet of force main (8")	4530.3
Linear feet of force main (12")	960.6
Number of gate chambers on force main	1

House Connections

Number of house connection inspections made during the year	203
(includes connections completely made and those partially made)	
Number relaid during year	3
Number of stoppages coming to the notice of the department	52

Discharge of Sewers

Estimated population using the sewer system (corrected)	21,800
Number of buildings connected	5,449

REPORT OF SEWER COMMISSIONERS

Includes:

No. of buildings connected as of Dec. 31, 1954	5,283
No. of buildings connected completely from sewer to house during 1955	149
No. of buildings connected from end of house connection previously run out to side line of street only	22

Excludes:

No. of buildings razed or moved during 1955	5
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Financial

Total cost of collection mains to December 31, 1955	\$2,052,691.10
Bonded debt at date	252,000.00
Average rate of interest on bonds	1.524%

For details of sewer construction and maintenance accounts, reference is made to the Financial Report compiled by the Town Accountant, as shown elsewhere.

*Sewers abandoned due to construction of Southeast Expressway:

STREET	Size of Pipe	Length (feet)	No. of MH'S
SQUANTUM STREET	{ 12"	40.5	1
	{ 10"	160.0	—
		200.5	1

The sewer extensions made during the year were as follows:
New sewers built to replace those abandoned
by construction of Southeast Expressway:

SQUANTUM STREET	{ 12"	10.3	2
Relocation under Southeast Expressway	{ 10"	198.5	1
		208.8	3

Built by Town:

ALLERTON ROAD			
From Hinckley to opposite Ho. #60	8"	347.5	3
BIRCH STREET			
From Rose St. Northeasteryl twd. Mathaurs St.	8"	41.0	—
BROOK ROAD (South Side)			
From new Metropolitan Connection Westerly to opp. Ho. #965	8"	113.1	2
BRUSH HILL ROAD			
From Metropolitan Ave. Southwesterly to opp. Ho. #589	8"	371.5	2
BRUSH HILL ROAD	{ 8"	1367.7	6
From Cheever St. to opp. Ho. #354	{ 10"	438.2	2
GERALD ROAD			
From end of 1952 construction Southeasterly	8"	5.6	—
GIBBONS STREET			
From end of 1953 construction to opp. Ho. #27	8"	133.5	—

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	Size of Pipe	Length (feet)	No. of MH'S
METROPOLITAN AVENUE			
From Brush Hill Rd. to opp. Ho. #1063	8"	540.5	3
QUENTIN STREET (Full length)	8"	418.4	2
ROSE STREET			
From Easement to Lyman Rd. opp Ho. #14 to Birch St.	8"	267.7	2
SAVIN STREET			
Opposite Ho. #15	8"	2.0	—
SCHOOL STREET SIPHON (Pine Tree Brook)	8" C.I.		2
SPRUCE STREET			
From Lyman Rd. Northwesterly to opp. Ho. #15	8"	682.0	3
VICTORIA STREET			
From end of 1954 construction to opp. Ho. #10	8"	268.0	2
EASEMENT (Private Land)			
From Lyman Rd. to Rose St.	8"	237.6	1
METROPOLITAN CONNECTION			
Opp. Ho. #1110 Brush Hill Rd.	6"	5.0	—
Total, Town-built sewers		<u>5239.3</u>	<u>30</u>
Built by Private Parties:			
ACADEMY LANE			
Full length	8"	171.7	1
AMOR ROAD			
Full length	8"	667.0	3
HALLEN AVENUE			
From Randolph Ave. to opp. Lot #25	8"	901.4	3
RIDGEWOOD ROAD			
From Randolph Ave. to opp. Lot #38	8"	1190.0	6
VALENTINE ROAD			
Full length	8"	1264.2	7
WHITELAWN AVENUE			
From opp. Lot #4 to opp Lot #10	8"	479.6	2
WOODSIDE DRIVE			
From Easement to Hallen Ave. opp. Lot #9 to opp. Lot #19	8"	455.2	1
EASEMENT (Private Land)			
From Hallen Ave. to Woodside Drive	8"	550.0	2
Total, Privately-built Sewers		5679.1	25
Totals			
New sewers built to replace those abandoned by construction of Southeast Expressway	208.8		
Town-built sewers	<u>5239.3</u>	5448.1	33
Built by Private Parties		5679.1	25
Town and Private		<u>11127.2</u>	<u>58</u>

Respectfully submitted,

FRED Y. MARSHALL
JAMES F. CAMPBELL
JAMES PERRY THURBER

Board of Sewer Commissioners

REPORT OF HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

REPORT OF THE HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

Milton, Massachusetts

January 16, 1956

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

The following is my report of the Highway Department work for the year just ended. Most of the work planned for the year has been completed with the exception of some finishing up to be done on some of the Street Betterments. This work was delayed due to the big flood we had in August which caused Pine Tree Brook to overflow that entire area in the Mattapan section, and our regular work had to be halted for a period of three weeks. Our whole crew was needed for the reconstruction and repairs of damage done by washouts and flooding to streets, sidewalks and bridges, in order to restore conditions to normal. After this work was completed all of our trucks and men were busy picking up debris and household goods which had been destroyed by the flood. This was done in cooperation with the Board of Health as this was considered a health menace. This work also required cooperation from other Town Departments for men and equipment to collect and haul all this water damaged material to the Town Dump. Because of this emergency work our regular program was delayed. We spent \$7450.81 out of our General Expense Account for this work.

Highway — General Expense

The cost for snow and ice removal this year amounted to \$15,298.15. This cost was subdivided as follows:

General	\$ 5,489.54	Storm starting November 19	1,968.41
Storm starting February 1	2,128.44	Storm starting December 22	1,536.76
Storm starting February 15	580.93	Storm starting December 29	700.94
Storm starting March 4	2,893.13		
			<u>\$15,298.15</u>

Out of this Account we installed two sections of curbing, one on Franklin Street southerly from Bassett Street and the other on Walnut Street from Reedsdale Road to Fairbanks Road. This work was done to protect the sidewalks in these places where cars are parked constantly, Franklin Street being in the business area and the other one in the vicinity of the Milton Woman's Club.

The following is a listing of our appropriations, expenditures, balances, etc.

Accounts	Appropriations, Transfers, Temporary Transfers and Balances from 1954			Balances
	Expenditures			
Highway — General Expense	\$151,314.62	\$145,612.69		\$ 5,701.93
Drainage:				
Appropriation	\$9,000.00			
Transfers	4,600.00	13,600.00	13,395.00	205.00
Permanent Construction	10,000.00	7,584.49		2,415.51
Private Work	3,000.00	2,348.58		651.42

REPORT OF HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

Bartons Lane	17,226.00	11,839.66	5,386.34*
Dean Road	14,250.00	13,811.07	438.93
Elmwood Avenue	660.00	74.60	585.40*
Franklin Street	11,520.00	2,588.55	8,931.45*
Victoria Street	12,750.00	11,588.63	1,161.37
Balances from 1954:			
Dexter Street	4,119.38	1,127.29	2,992.09
Lafayette Street	2,961.02	1,143.46	1,817.56
Sidewalks	3,000.00	1,646.71	1,353.29
Chapter 90 — Maintenance:			
Appropriation	\$1,500.00		
Temporary Transfer	3,000.00	4,500.00	
Chapter 90 — Reconstruction:			
Appropriation	\$8,000.00		*
Temporary Transfer	24,000.00	32,000.00	32,000.00
Improvement of Pine Tree Brook:			
Balance from 1954	\$34,841.00		
Appropriation	50,000.00	84,841.00	84,841.00*
New Equipment:			
Appropriation	\$12,475.00		
Transfer	1,682.29	14,157.29	14,157.29
Unpaid Bills of 1954	801.07	801.07	
*Balances to be carried forward to 1956			

Drainage

This year we installed and completed two large drainage projects.

One of these jobs was in Pleasant Street from Badger Circle to Gun Hill Street. This drain was a continuation of the main drain in Pleasant Street in a section where the surface water had always run over the road causing bad icy conditions during the winter months. Also, as this section of Pleasant Street was to be reconstructed under Chapter 90, the continuance of this drain was very important. This work included the installation of five catch basins.

Another drainage project was the extending of the main thirty-inch pipe through an easement in Truro Lane to an outlet near Pine Tree Brook. This work was done to relieve the flooding of private property during and after heavy rains.

Pine Tree Brook was also cleaned during the winter months. The banks were cleared and straightened and we either burned or hauled away the debris and rubbish blocking the flow of water.

The section of Pine Tree Brook from Turner's Pond to Pope's Pond was very narrow and irregular before last summer's flood. The growth of underbrush, trees and shrubs along the banks collected all kinds of debris and caused the flow of water in this section to be greatly reduced. Since the flood a section of the brook between Thacher Street and Blue Hills Parkway has been dug out and straightened by a Contractor's clam shell shovel. Unquity Brook was also done in the same manner from Brook Road to Pleasant Street.

REPORT OF HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

Permanent Construction

Most of our Permanent Construction money this year was spent on seal coating of old streets to hold their surface and to prevent them from raveling and breaking up during the winter months. Sixteen streets were treated with tar or asphalt and covered with either one-half inch stone or sand.

A sidewalk on Eliot Street from High Street to Morton Road was resurfaced out of this account in the section where some Chapter 90 was done. Also on Canton Avenue, Eliot Street and Brook Road, work was done in connection with Chapter 90 work.

Street Betterments

The streets to be built this year under the Betterment Act were Bartons Lane, Dean Road, Elmwood Avenue (sidewalk work only), Franklin Street and Victoria Street. Dean Road and Victoria Street were completed, but because of the flood there is work to be done on Bartons Lane, Elmwood Avenue and Franklin Street in the early spring.

Sidewalks

A number of petitions for Bituminous Concrete sidewalks were received this year, but because of our delayed program and the early start of cold and snowy weather, we were able to build only one. This was on Thatcher Street from Darby Road to Houston Avenue.

Chapter 90

Out of our Chapter 90 — Reconstruction account this year resurfacing was done on Eliot Street from Morton Road to Adams Street. This was a continuation of the work done last year. Also out of this appropriation we rebuilt Pleasant Street from Horton Place to Gun Hill Street.

Our maintenance money was used on Brook Road from the point where we left off last year between Randolph Avenue and Canton Avenue, resurfacing being done in this section. Also a section of Canton Avenue from Holmes Lane to Gile Road was resurfaced with Bituminous Concrete.

Equipment

The new motorized sand spreader purchased by the Town this year has been very helpful. It has done fast and efficient work. We were able to keep it filled with sand ready to go out as soon as icy conditions developed. Because it holds a large quantity of sand, several long sections of main streets could be sanded before it was necessary to go back to the Yard for refilling. However, there are many miles of main roads in the Town to be sanded when icy conditions exist and one sand spreader cannot do the work fast enough. I am, therefore, asking for another motorized spreader in my 1956 budget.

Our roadgrader is twenty-two years old and no longer usable. Whenever we have tried to use it, it breaks down and has to be taken back to the Yard for repairs. This piece of equipment could be kept in constant use on our construction work, shaping the subgrade, spreading and leveling the stone courses and spreading the surface material. The machine is quicker and much more efficient than hand work. It can also be used in our maintenance work, reshaping our old dirt roads in prepa-

REPORT OF HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

ration for surface treatment. Our old machine was inadequate for the work this year and it was necessary to rent a roadgrader. We were fortunate in getting one as usually the Contractors who own them are using them at the time we need one most. Because of our urgent need for a roadgrader I am again requesting that one be purchased in 1956.

I am also asking to turn in two of our old two-ton truck chassis and cabs. These trucks were purchased in 1949 and have been in constant use ever since. They are beginning to need quite a lot of repair now and are no longer dependable. It would seem advisable to turn these two chassis and cabs in while there is a fairly good turn-in value. The dump bodies can be shifted to the new chassis and cabs, thereby making an appreciable savings for the Town.

Conclusion

During the past year two of our employees who had been pensioned, Benjamin Adams and Theodore McGowan, passed away. Both these men gave long and faithful service to this Department and they will always be remembered by those who worked with them.

We have a great deal of difficulty concerning our Highway Department lanterns during the year. The lights are put out, the lanterns taken far away from where they have been placed, or deliberately destroyed or stolen. These lanterns are placed on our streets as a safely measure, a warning to our residents that there is a road under construction, an obstruction in the road, or a hole in it. These lanterns would stay lit if left unmolested, but they are seldom left alone for even a portion of a night. Adults or children seem to take pleasure in putting out the lights, taking away the lanterns entirely or deliberately destroying them. We find them broken, thrown into brooks or fields and hanging in trees or on telephone poles. This may seem like fun or a prank, but we think the pranksters do not realize what danger they may be causing by taking the lanterns away from the place where they are supposed to protect residents. Persons could be seriously injured or killed because of these "pranks." Destroying the lanterns is also a great expense to the Town. It cost us nearly seven hundred dollars this year to replace the broken or lost lanterns. This cost has been steadily increasing over the past few years and it is most unnecessary. Several years ago we reported the cost of replacing broken street signs by Hallowe'en pranksters and from that time on we have had no trouble in this matter. Now we are making an appeal through this report to your Board requesting the residents of the Town to help us in eliminating this unnecessary expense.

To the Highway Department employees I wish to extend my appreciation and thanks for their co-operation in helping to carry on our program during the year. I also wish to thank the other Town Departments for their assistance during emergencies that arose during the year.

I wish to thank Dr. Charles F. Brooks of the Blue Hill Meteorological Observatory who so kindly takes time to call us on local storm conditions which is always a great help to us.

I also wish to thank your Board for your co-operation during the past year.

Respectfully yours,

JAMES J. MALONEY
Superintendent of Streets

REPORT OF BOARD OF WATER COMMISSIONERS

REPORT OF BOARD OF WATER COMMISSIONERS

Milton, Mass., January 21, 1956

To the Citizens of Milton:

It is gratifying to be able to call to your attention the fact that as of December 31, 1956 the debt of the Water Department as represented by bonds outstanding will be only \$4,000.

When the Town purchased the water system from the Milton Water Company in 1902, bonds totalling \$312,000 were sold to finance the acquisition. The last of these bonds was paid in 1932.

Meanwhile the Department was faced with the problem of town growth which started in the mid-twenties. It was realized that an increase in population made necessary a rather extensive program of new mains and the replacement of inadequate mains with pipes of larger sizes.

In 1924 it was decided that the Water Department should be on a self-sustaining basis and that bonds should be issued to cover the cost of new main installations. Since then the expenses of bond interest and retirement has been in effect, paid by the consumer in his water bills.

As the years went on the requirements of the water system program increased, as did the amount of bonds outstanding, until in 1934 a total of \$537,000 was reached. This, as stated in the beginning of this report, has now been reduced to a negligible amount. No bonds have been issued since 1946.

This has been feasible principally because of the acceptance by the Town Meeting in 1945 of Chapter 12 of the General Bylaws of the Town, which, as explained in a previous report requires the owner of a new development to bear the cost of any mains installed.

In 1953 the Metropolitan District Commission doubled the cost of water to the Town, raising it from \$40.00 to \$80.00 per million gallons.

In anticipation of this material increase some cities and towns were obliged to raise the rates to consumers during the year before the increase became effective.

It is our understanding that all of the other municipalities have since raised their rates with the exception of Milton and two other Towns.

It had been felt by the Board that it would be necessary to revise our charge to water takers this year. However, it has been the policy of the Board to provide a Surplus for contingencies and for use in avoiding a fluctuating rate.

The fact that this fund is available plus the revenue received last year as a result of the hot dry summer, has, we expect, deferred the need for any revision of the rate schedule in 1956.

REPORT OF BOARD OF WATER COMMISSIONERS

For detailed figures on the activities of the Department we refer you to the Report of the Superintendent on the following pages.

Respectfully submitted,

ERNEST E. ERICKSON

JOHN B. MOORE

WILLIAM P. MELLEY

Board of Water Commissioners

REPORT OF WATER DEPARTMENT SUPERINTENDENT

REPORT OF WATER DEPARTMENT SUPERINTENDENT

Milton, Mass., January 16, 1956

To the Board of Water Commissioners:

A report of the activities of the Water Department for the year ending December 31, 1955 is herewith submitted:

Main Extensions

Mains which are revenue producing were installed under the Guarantee Plan in Quentin, Savin and Victoria Streets.

Improvements to the distribution system were made by extending the main in Barton Lane and making connections with existing mains in Clark, Glendale and Lawrence Roads, eliminating three dead ends. In Beacon Street our main was extended one hundred twenty feet to the Boston main to establish a mutual aid connection which will assure that section an adequate supply of water for fire protection, or any other emergency.

Eight installations of mains were made in seven new subdivisions under Chapter 12 of the Town By-Laws which requires the developer to pay the entire cost of installations (materials, labor and trenching):

184 feet of 6"	Academy Lane
640 feet of 8"	Amor Road
420 feet of 8"	Hemlock Drive
235 feet of 8"	Lyman Road
679 feet of 8"	Ridgewood Road
325 feet of 8"	Valentine Road
758 feet of 10"	Valentine Road

Maintenance and Operating

Service connections to supply new homes totaled 112. Ten services in new developments were extended from the property line to new homes. In addition two larger services were installed:

2" service to New Gym — Milton High School

4" service to Mother House — Sisters of St. Joseph

Fourteen old services were relaid. Seven hydrants were added to our System.

The resurfacing of Pleasant Street and permanent construction by the Highway Department resulted in additional work for the Department. All main gate valves were inspected and all gate and service boxes raised to grade.

The construction of the Southeast Expressway caused many changes and problems:

The 6" main on Squantum Street from Adams Street to the Expressway was removed and relaid with one thousand three hundred thirty-nine feet of twelve inch pipe. All services in Squantum Street were relaid and connected to the new main.

The 10" main in Adams Street at the Expressway was removed. A new 10" and 12" main was installed in Granite Avenue from Adams Street, over the Boulevard Street Bridge, to Edge Hill Road to Adams Street at the Post Office.

At the close of the year all hydrants have been inspected and serviced.

REPORT OF WATER DEPARTMENT SUPERINTENDENT

Accounts Receivable

Outstanding balances on our books December 31, 1955 were:

Sale of Water	\$13,943.62
Service Installations	7,464.25
Miscellaneous	4,552.78
Liens Added to Tax Bills	312.70
Tax Titles	172.25
Total	<u>\$26,445.60</u>

I wish to publicly extend my sincere thanks to the Board of Water Commissioners for their support and wise guidance and to all the other Departments for their cooperation, and to the employees of the Water Department, whose conscientious efforts have contributed to the efficient operation of the Department.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL J. HANNIGAN
Superintendent

COMPARATIVE FINANCIAL STATEMENT

(cents omitted)

Maintenance and Operating

	1953	1954	1955
<i>We collected from:</i>			
Sale of Water	\$147,932	\$141,869	\$152,056
Service Installations and Jobbing	31,190	22,004	18,822
Hydrant Service	28,420	28,735	28,875
Other Receipts	2,580	1,674	1,932
Total Receipts	<u>\$210,122</u>	<u>\$194,282</u>	<u>\$201,685</u>
<i>We spent for:</i>			
Non-Controllable Expenses			
Cost of Water (Metropolitan Assessment)	\$ 22,686	\$ 48,680	\$ 44,315
Bond Retirement (Payments on Principal)	21,000	16,000	11,000
Bond Interest	1,404	985	632
	<u>\$ 45,090</u>	<u>\$ 65,665</u>	<u>\$ 55,947</u>

REPORT OF WATER DEPARTMENT SUPERINTENDENT

Other Expenses:

Materials and Property Purchased	\$ 31,020	\$ 48,776	\$ 38,999
Service Installations and Jobbing	24,752	23,782	37,326
Operating Expenses	27,268	27,004	29,750
Maintenance Expense	18,470	39,139	17,478
General and Administrative Expenses	21,459	22,661	21,476
Extension of Mains	22,818	14,256	27,865
Overtime	3,131	4,297	6,658
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Total Expenditures	\$194,008	\$245,580	\$235,499
Less — Materials Credited	29,333	29,081	41,457
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Expenses Chargeable to Maintenance and Operating Appropriation	\$164,675	\$216,499	\$194,042
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Net Result — Receipts over Expenditures	\$ 45,447		\$ 7,643
Net Result — Expenditures over receipts		\$ 22,217	

Extension of Mains

We had available for construction from:

Maintenance and Operating Appropriation	\$ 35,000	\$ 25,000	\$ 35,000
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We expended these sums for:

Salaries and Wages (construction only)	\$ 3,814	\$ 2,831	\$ 6,416
Pipe and other Materials	11,299	9,343	16,138
Trenchwork (contract)	7,705	2,082	5,311
Balance Unexpended	12,182	10,744	7,135
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	\$ 35,000	\$ 25,000	\$ 35,000

COMPARATIVE DISTRIBUTION DATA

Miles of Main Pipe	105.3	106.5	107.3
No. of Hydrants	821	825	832
No. of Meters in Service	6,301	6,389	6,541
No. of Hydrants per Mile of Main	7.8	7.7	7.8
No. of Services per Mile of Main	59.8	59.9	60.9
No. of Meters Paying Excess	5,175	5,128	6,082
(average per quarter)			
Per Cent of Meters Paying Excess	85.5	80.3	93.
Water Purchased (Gallons per Day)	1,667,100	1,517,600	1,636,300

REPORT OF BOARD OF RETIREMENT

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF RETIREMENT

Milton, Massachusetts

February 3, 1956

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

The report of the Board of Retirement activities for the year ending December 31, 1955 is submitted herewith:

The Board consists of three members as required by Section 20 (4) (b) of Chapter 32 of the General Laws: The Town Accountant, a second member elected by the members of the system and a third member appointed by the Board of Selectmen. The Board membership remained the same in 1955.

Three members retired in 1955 and six pensioners and two active members died during the year.

A summary of our membership follows:

ACTIVE MEMBERSHIP

Group A

Membership, January 1, 1955	168	
Enrolled during 1955	35	
Transferred from Inactive Membership	2	
	<hr/>	205
Members pensioned	2	
Members withdrew	5	
Transferred to Inactive Membership	5	
Previous transfers to Group B	2	
	<hr/>	14
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Group A Active Membership, December 31, 1955		191

Group B

(Policemen and Firemen)

Membership, January 1, 1955	81	
Enrolled during 1955	0	
Previous transfers from Group A	2	
	<hr/>	83
Member died	1	
Member withdrew	1	
Transferred to Inactive Membership	2	
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Group B Active Membership, December 31, 1955		79
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Total Active Membership, December 31, 1955		270

REPORT OF BOARD OF RETIREMENT

INACTIVE MEMBERSHIP

Group A

Membership, January 1, 1955	17	
Transferred from Active Membership	5	
	<hr/>	22
Members pensioned	1	
Members withdrew	6	
Transferred to Active Membership	2	
	<hr/>	9
Group A Inactive Membership, December 31, 1955		<hr/> 13

Group B

Transferred from Active Membership	2	
Group B Inactive Membership, December 31, 1955		2
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Total Inactive Membership, December 31, 1955		15

PENSIONERS

Pensioners, January 1, 1955	34	
Members retired in 1955	3	
Boston firefighter retired — Milton sharing cost	1	
	<hr/>	38
Pensioners died		6
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Pensioners receiving benefits, December 31, 1955		32
(including 3 persons retired by other systems, Milton shares cost of pensions)		<hr/>
Inactive Total		47
Active Membership		270
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Grand Total Membership, December 31, 1955		317
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We also have one Beneficiary receiving an Accidental Death Benefit.

Under Section 21 (1) (b) of Chapter 32, G. L., the State Department of Banking and Insurance annually furnishes each Retirement Board with the amortized value of all bonds held. The Department has been delayed in getting these figures out this year and therefore our Investments are shown in this report at their book value as of December 31, 1954. The values will be adjusted on our books as soon as the necessary figures are received from the State.

The following is a synopsis of the monetary transactions for the year ending December 31, 1955:

CASH

Balance, January 1, 1955	\$ 1,864.41
Receipts:	
Members' contributions	48,600.51
Town appropriation	45,780.31
Interest received	12,827.64
Reimbursed from State for pensions paid	114.08
Bonds called or matured	36,797.40
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	\$145,984.35

REPORT OF BOARD OF RETIREMENT

Expenditures:

Pensions	\$ 40,999.90	
Annuities	3,658.41	
Investments	80,585.27	
Expenses	2,041.33	
Refunds to members upon withdrawal	6,510.53	
Accrued interest on bonds purchased	444.78	
Refunds to beneficiaries	6,728.16	
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Total Expenditures	\$140,968.38	
Balance, December 31, 1955	5,015.97	
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		<u>\$145,984.35</u>

ANNUITY SAVINGS FUND

(Members' Contributions)

Balance, January 1, 1955	\$313,414.53	
Transferred from Investment Income	234.00	
Contributions:		
Group A	\$30,374.81	
Group B	16,546.47	
Voluntary	1,679.23	
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	48,600.51	
Interest distribution	8,620.63	
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		\$370,869.67
Expenditures:		
Refunds to members upon withdrawal	\$ 6,510.53	
Transferred to Annuity Reserve Fund	5,808.21	
Transferred to Pension Fund	2.37	
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	\$ 12,321.11	
Balance, December 31, 1955	358,548.56	
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		<u>\$370,869.67</u>

PENSION FUND

Balance, January 1, 1955	\$ 54,428.95	
Town Appropriation	42,638.00	
Reimbursement from State for pensions paid	114.08	
Transferred from Annuity Savings Fund	2.37	
Transferred from Investment Income	2,401.28	
Profit—Sale of Bonds	444.58	
Transferred from Annuity Reserve	1,091.00	
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		\$101,120.26
Expenditures: Pensions paid	\$ 40,999.90	
Balance, December 31, 1955	60,120.36	
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		<u>\$101,120.26</u>

REPORT OF BOARD OF RETIREMENT

ANNUITY RESERVE FUND

Balance, January 1, 1955	\$ 43,243.02	
Transferred from Annuity Savings Fund	5,808.21	
Interest distribution	1,172.29	
	<hr/>	\$ 50,223.52
Expenditures: Annuities paid	\$ 3,658.41	
Refunds to beneficiaries	6,728.16	
	<hr/>	\$ 10,386.57
Transferred to Pension Fund	1,091.00	
Balance, December 31, 1955	38,745.95	
	<hr/>	<u>\$ 50,223.52</u>

EXPENSE FUND

Balance, January 1, 1955	\$ 983.74	
Town Appropriation	2,015.05	
	<hr/>	\$ 2,998.79
Expenditures:		
Clerical	\$ 1,788.32	
Postage	12.00	
Printing	30.12	
Photostatic copies of records	36.92	
Maintenance office machines	32.75	
Safety deposit box	20.00	
Copies of laws	5.00	
Medical	40.00	
Association dues and expenses	47.52	
Office supplies	25.68	
Service charge on bonds	3.02	
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Total Expenditures	\$ 2,041.33	
Balance, December 31, 1955	957.46	
	<hr/>	<u>\$ 2,998.79</u>

SPECIAL FUND FOR MILITARY SERVICE

Balance, January 1, 1955	\$ 9,494.86	
Interest distribution	279.67	
To be appropriated	620.32	
	<hr/>	\$ 10,394.85
Balance, December 31, 1955		<u>\$ 10,394.85</u>

INVESTMENT INCOME

Receipts:		
Interest from Bonds	\$ 11,570.52	
Dividends from Co-operative Banks	770.00	
Interest from Savings Accounts	437.40	
Interest from individuals (deferred pmts.)	49.72	
	<hr/>	\$ 12,827.64
Earned but not credited until coupon date	3,298.35	
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REPORT OF BOARD OF RETIREMENT

Distribution:

Annuity Savings Fund	\$ 8,620.63
Annuity Reserve Fund	1,172.29
Special Fund for Military Service	279.67
Earned but not credited in 1954	2,973.34
Transferred to Annuity Savings Fund ..	234.00
Expenditures:	
Accrued interest on bonds purchased	444.78

\$ 13,724.71

Transferred to Pension Fund	2,401.28
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\$ 16,125.99

INVESTMENT ACCOUNT

December 31, 1955

No.	Issuing Company	Rate	Maturity Date	Cost Price	*Amorti- zation	Book Value
<i>Bonds:</i>						
4	Alabama Power Co.	4 1/8	1983	\$ 4,086.88	\$— 2.77	\$ 4,084.11
5	American Tel. & Tel. Co.	3 1/4	1984	5,126.00	— .89	5,125.11
5	American Tel. & Tel. Co.	2 3/4	1970	5,025.00	— 5.75	5,019.25
5	American Tel. & Tel. Co.	2 3/4	1980	5,000.00	.00	5,000.00
5	Atchison Topeka & Santa Fe	4	1995	5,412.10	— 12.44	5,369.66
5	Boston Edison Company	2 3/4	1970	5,187.50	— 70.52	5,116.98
5	Consolidated Edison of N. Y.	3	1981	5,012.50	— 3.52	5,008.98
5	Consolidated Edison of N. Y.	3 3/8	1982	5,119.20	— 7.17	5,112.03
10	Illinois Bell Tel. Co.	3 1/8	1984	10,152.50	— 8.35	10,144.15
5	New England Power Co.	2 7/8	1981	4,843.75	+ 17.20	4,860.95
10	New York Central R.R.	3 1/2	1997	10,500.00	— 44 74	10,455.26
10	New York Telephone Co.	3 1/8	1978	10,200.00	— 26.41	10,173.59
5	Northern Pacific Rwy.	4	1997	5,113.60	— 11.23	5,102.37
5	Pacific Gas & Electric Co.	3	1970	5,167.50	— 59.19	5,108.31
5	Pacific Gas & Electric Co.	3 3/8	1985	5,096.00	— 4.17	5,091.83
10	Reading Company	3 1/8	1995	10,162.50	— 12.30	10,150.20
3	Seattle Gas Co.	3 5/8	1976	3,150.00	— 26.37	3,123.63
5	So. California Edison Co.	3	1965	5,262.50	— 129.08	5,133.42
10	West Penn. Power Co.	3 1/4	1982	10,193.10	— 11.44	10,181.66
10	Wisconsin Power & Light	3 1/4	1982	10,076.00	— 3.96	10,072.04
5	Worcester County Elec. Co.	3 1/4	1981	5,077.00	— 6.30	5,070.70
10	U. S. Treasury "G" Bonds	2 1/2	1958	10,000.00		10,000.00
10	U. S. Treasury "G" Bonds	2 1/2	1959	10,000.00		10,000.00
10	U. S. Treasury "G" Bonds	2 1/2	1959	10,000.00		10,000.00
20	U. S. Treasury "G" Bonds	2 1/2	1959	20,000.00		20,000.00
18	U. S. Treasury "G" Bonds	2 1/2	1960	18,000.00		18,000.00
35	U. S. Treasury "G" Bonds	2 1/2	1961	35,000.00		35,000.00
30	U. S. Treasury "G" Bonds	2 1/2	1962	30,000.00		30,000.00
5	U. S. Treasury "G" Bonds	2 1/2	1962	5,000.00		5,000.00
30	U. S. Treasury "K" Bonds	2.76	1966	30,000.00		30,000.00
80	U. S. Treasury "K" Bonds	3	1995	80,147.87		80,147.87
6	U. S. Treasury Bonds	3 1/4	1983	6,000.00		6,000.00
22	U. S. Treasury Bonds	3 1/4	1983	22,000.00		22,000.00
15	U. S. Treasury Bonds	2 1/2	1968	15,000.00		15,000.00

REPORT OF BOARD OF RETIREMENT

No.	Issuing Company	Rate	Cost Price	* Amorti- zation	Book Value
<i>Paid-up and Mat. Shares in Co-op Banks:</i>					
5	Braintree Co-op. Bank	3	1,000.00	.00	1,000.00
10	Commonwealth Co-op. Bank	3	2,000.00	.00	2,000.00
10	Marlborough Co-op. Bank	3	2,000.00	.00	2,000.00
20	Mattapan Co-op. Bank	3	3,997.40	+ 2.60	4,000.00
10	Middleborough Co-op. Bank	3 1/2	2,000.00	.00	2,000.00
20	Milton Co-op. Bank	3	3,987.50	+ 12.50	4,000.00
5	Minot Co-op. Bank	3	1,000.00	.00	1,000.00
20	Sandwich Co-op. Bank	3	3,978.20	+ 21.80	4,000.00
5	So. Shore Co-op. Bank	3	1,000.00	.00	1,000.00
20	Volunteer Co-op. Bank	3	4,000.00	.00	4,000.00
<i>Savings Account:</i>					
	Milton Savings Bank		1,487.55		1,487.55
	Suffolk Savings Bank		1,375.96		1,375.96
	Milton Co-op. Bank-Savings Share Acct.		6,316.93		6,316.93
			<u>\$460,255.04</u>	<u>—422.50</u>	<u>\$459,832.54</u>
* Amortization (—)					
Appreciation (+)					

BALANCE SHEET

December 31, 1955

ASSETS

Cash	\$ 5,015.97
Investment Account	459,832.54
Accrued Interest	3,298.35
Chapter 419, Military Service.	620.32
(appropriated to)	
	<u>\$468,767.18</u>

LIABILITIES

Annuity Savings Fund	\$358,548.56
Pension Fund	60,120.36
Annuity Reserve Fund	38,745.95
Military Service	10,394.85
Expense Fund	957.46
	<u>\$468,767.18</u>

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPHINE M. MCATEER
ALEXANDER E. MANNING
OLIVER S. SUGHRUE

Board of Retirement

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS



REPORT OF TOWN ACCOUNTANT

REPORT OF THE TOWN ACCOUNTANT

Milton, Massachusetts

January 23, 1956

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I herewith submit the report of the Town Accountant for the year ending December 31, 1955, arranged as follows:

1. Detailed accounts of all moneys received by the Town as classified in accordance with the requirements of the Division of Accounts of the State.
2. Details of all departmental accounts showing the appropriations, credits, expenditures and balances. The expenditures are classified in accordance with the requirements of the Division of Accounts.
3. Balance sheet as of December 31, 1955 showing debit and credit balances on all open ledger accounts.

All original bills and vouchers on which moneys have been paid from the treasury for the year ending December 31, 1955, and all Trust Funds in the custody of the Town Treasurer and Library Trustees have during the year been examined and found to be correct.

In accordance with the provisions of Section 58, Chapter 41 of the General Laws, I am listing the following bill reported to me as unpaid:

1954

Law Department:

Frank B. Frederick — Special Services	\$652.50
Expenses	364.25

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPHINE M. McATEER

Town Accountant

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS CLASSIFICATION OF RECEIPTS

GENERAL REVENUE

Taxes:

1953 Real Estate and Personal Tax Levy	\$ 756.00
1954 Real Estate Tax Levy	31,243.17
1955 Real Estate Tax Levy	2,004,491.18
1954 Personal Tax Levy	502.90
1955 Personal Tax Levy	155,184.88
Polls 1955	12,456.00

Motor Excise:

1953 Tax Levy	66.10
1954 Tax Levy	43,682.91
1955 Tax Levy	300,428.70

Tax Title Redemptions	145.73
Proforma Tax — Sale of Old Glover School Land	43.42

Received from State:

Corporation and Business Taxes	142,158.34
Income Tax	87,629.93
Reimbursement account of school expenditures under Section I, Chapter 70, G.L.	102,946.75
Reimbursement Vocational Education	3,038.57
George Barden-Smith-Hughes Grant	200.00
Meal Tax, Chapter 729, Acts 1941	3,986.81
Chapter 90	5,462.69
Reimbursement account Paraplegics' Taxes	1,259.50
Reimbursement Hurricane "Carol" Expenditures	28,027.32
Reimbursement "Diane" Flood Expenditures	1,550.00
School Construction Grants	28,470.44

Received from United States Government:

Old Age Assistance	75,729.94
Aid Dependent Children	10,580.77
Disability Assistance	7,611.45

Licenses, Fees, etc.:

Liquor licenses	6,000.00
Junk and agents	340.00
Taxi and revolver	58.00
Milk, ice cream and oleo	251.00
Marriages	558.00
Non-alcoholic beverage license	20.00
Victualers' licenses	85.00
Bowling licenses	56.00
Vital statistics	244.83
Sale of street lists	301.00
Recording, copying mortgages and discharges	1,293.50
Municipal liens	830.00
Dog fees	350.80
Fish and game fees	206.50
Recording pole locations	239.50
All other	82.00

Court Fines	107.50
Forfeit deposit on bids	50.00

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Dog Licenses:		
Town Clerk	3,861.60	
County	2,568.14	
Town Employees' Withholding Tax Deductions	225,782.85	
Chapter 90 — Received from County	3,481.35	
	<hr/>	\$3,294,421.07

COMMERCIAL REVENUE

Special Assessments

Forestry charges added to Tax Bills	\$	248.00	
Sewers:			
Added to Tax Bills		3,337.61	
Apportioned, paid in advance		1,503.99	
Street Betterments:			
Unapportioned		5,249.95	
Added to Tax Bills		11,307.90	
Apportioned, paid in advance		1,837.94	
Sidewalks:			
Unapportioned		501.97	
Added to Tax Bills		221.50	
Apportioned, paid in advance		55.83	
		<hr/>	\$ 24,264.69

DEPARTMENTAL REVENUE

General Government:		
Town Hall — rental	\$	328.00
Sale of waste paper		4.00
Thacher Building — light		64.20
Engineering — sale of maps		19.53
Board of Appeals — fees		741.47
Protection of Persons and Property:		
Police:		
Private Work		21,418.00
Bicycle registrations		42.00
Inspection:		
Sealer of Weights and Measures		207.45
Building		2,177.45
Plumbing		1,193.00
Wire		1,548.70
Forestry:		
Private Work		3,134.00
Co-operative Tree Planting Program		100.00
Health and Sanitation:		
Health:		
Tuberculosis		2,034.27
Town Dump charges		2,625.00
Sale of Ashes and Garbage contract documents		50.00
Sewer — Private Work		2,964.11

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Highway — Private Work	1,385.58	
Public Welfare:		
Reimbursement for Temporary Relief:		
State	1,976.14	
Cities and Towns	542.83	
Reimbursement for Old Age Assistance:		
State	82,346.58	
Cities and Town	4,478.72	
Reimbursement for Aid Dependent Children:		
State	6,905.39	
Reimbursement for Disability Assistance:		
State	9,392.09	
Veterans' Benefits:		
State	10,252.39	
Schools:		
Tuition	4,810.82	
Rental of buildings	130.00	
Lunchroom receipts	85,205.11	
Athletic receipts	7,141.12	
Dental Clinic	198.50	
Driver Education	100.00	
Manual Training	89.20	
Miscellaneous	651.73	
Libraries:		
Fines	3,899.80	
Miscellaneous	22.76	
Cemetery — Care of lots, graves, etc.	18,429.77	
Proceeds from Sale of Burial Rights	3,090.00	
Sale of cemetery lots	120.00	
Gov. Stoughton Fund — rent from town farm	500.00	
Deposit to Guarantee Completion of street work	3,000.00	
Reserve for Contract Violation (Ashes and Garbage) ..	865.20	
Sale of Land — Old Glover School Site	5,310.00	
Blue Hill Ave. — opposite Concord Ave.	10,000.00	
		<u>\$ 299,494.91</u>

MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS

Temporary Loans in Anticipation of Revenue	\$ 750,000.00	
General Loans:		
Sewer Construction	70,000.00	
Matured 91 day Bills	398,742.00	
		<u>\$1,218,742.00</u>

COMMERCIAL REVENUE — INTEREST

Taxes (including tax title interest)	\$ 1,245.85
Bond Issues	49.56
General Fund on deposit	1,258.00
Special Assessments:	
Committed Interest on Sewers and Streets	3,901.72
Interest on Sewer and Street Betterments	68.62

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Trust Funds:

Mary L. Peabody	125.00	
Oakland Hall Fund	328.00	
Cemetery Perpetual Care Fund	10,876.98	
Tuell and Hallowell Fund	45.00	
Trust Funds for Cemetery	342.17	
N. T. Kidder Library Fund	1,272.62	
E. T. L. Reed Park Fund	225.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 19,738.52

TRUST AND INVESTMENT FUNDS

Cemetery Perpetual Care Fund	\$ 15,525.00	
Withdrawals from Funds for Reinvestment	55,000.00	
Withdrawals from Funds for Expenditures	703.80	
	<hr/>	\$ 71,228.80

REFUNDS AND TRANSFERS

Refunds:		
General Departments	\$ 196.61	
Old Age Assistance	485.60	
Insurance payments under Workingmen's Compensation	1,545.70	
Gasoline tax refund from State	103.45	
Recoveries — Old Age Assistance	7,732.99	
Removal of safety hazard — High Street (reimb. cost) ..	292.50	
Teachers' Retirement Board	55.58	
Damages:		
Fire Truck	31.90	
Fire box	53.85	
Glass breakage (Fire)	19.17	
Town property	49.51	
Police generator	65.05	
Uncashed checks (to Tailings Account)	43.70	
Refund legal expense on tax title redemption	41.84	
Tax refunds in error (returned check)	54.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 10,771.45

PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES

Water Department:

Rates	\$ 152,056.28	
Service	10,670.34	
Hydrant Rental	28,875.00	
Guarantee Deposits	4,970.00	
Consumers' Guarantee Deposit Fund	1,236.15	
Liens added 1954 Tax Bills	65.00	
Liens added 1955 Tax Bills	1,002.68	
Miscellaneous — Jobbing	3,344.00	
Revenue Consumers' Guarantee	548.49	
Mains in Private Ways	14,346.85	
Insurance payments under Workingmen's Compensation	222.54	
Uncashed checks (to Tailings Account)	6.04	
Refunds	23.52	
	<hr/>	\$ 217,366.89

\$5,156,028.33

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CLASSIFICATION OF DEPARTMENT ACCOUNTS GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Warrant Committee

Appropriation	\$	2,820.00	
Transferred from Reserve		386.26	
		<hr/>	\$ 3,206.26
Payments:			
Advertising	\$	18.00	
Printing recommendations and warrants		2,458.00	
Distributing recommendations and warrants		500.00	
Association dues and expenses		56.40	
Postage and supplies		46.86	
Typewriter maintenance		9.00	
Printing budget sheets		118.00	
Total Payments		<hr/>	\$ 3,206.26

Warrant Committee — Salaries and Wages

Appropriation	\$	800.00
Payments: Clerk	\$	800.00

Warrant Committee — Additional Compensation

Appropriation	\$	61.16
Payments	\$	61.16

Warrant Committee — Wage and Salary Study

Appropriation	\$	500.00
Payments:		
Travel	\$	29.00
Services		471.00
Total Payments		<hr/>
	\$	500.00

Planning Board

Appropriation	\$	1,730.00
Payments:		
Association dues	\$	20.00
Plans and prints		45.70
Stationery and supplies		67.20
Postage		11.00
Advertising		32.00
Town Engineer services		100.00
Binding books		35.00
Service of Consulting Engineer		350.00
Telephone		20.91

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Secretarial service	31.16	
Total Payments	\$ 712.97	
Balance to Revenue	1,017.03	
		\$ 1,730.00

Planning Board — Salaries and Wages

Appropriation	\$ 600.00
Payments: Town Engineer	\$ 600.00

Deposits to Guarantee Completion of Streets

Balance, January 1, 1955	\$ 500.00	
Deposit	3,000.00	
		\$ 3,500.00
Refunded	\$ 2,000.00	
Balance, December 31, 1955	1,500.00	
		\$ 3,500.00

Selectmen

Appropriation		\$	1,200.00
Payments:			
Advertising	\$	222.95	
Postage		118.20	
Telephone		243.97	
Subscription		7.50	
Maintenance of typewriters		18.00	
Blue prints and recording		69.92	
Laws		45.00	
Office supplies		174.04	
Association dues		81.00	
Binding and printing		93.03	
Proof reading services		29.83	
Chair repair		27.88	
Total Payments	\$	1,131.32	
Balance to Revenue		68.68	
			\$ 1,200.00

Selectmen — Salaries and Wages

Appropriation	\$ 7,485.60
Payments:	
Selectmen	\$ 2,400.00
Secretary (part time)	1,695.20
Clerk	3,390.40
Total Payments	\$ 7,485.60

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Selectmen — Additional Compensation

Appropriation	\$	366.94
Payments	\$	366.94

State Census

Appropriation	\$	760.00
Payments: Census takers	\$	760.00

Civil Defense

Balance, January 1, 1955	\$	388.32	
Appropriation		950.00	
			\$ 1,338.32
Payments:			
Administration expense:			
Telephone	\$	187.08	
Printing, postage and office supplies		201.02	
Maps		10.65	
Communications:			
Maintenance of radio		152.85	
Equipment for men		163.44	
Street sirens		27.00	
All other		1.80	
Total Payments	\$	743.84	
Balance, December 31, 1955		594.48	
			\$ 1,338.32

Accounting

Appropriation	\$	814.00	
Refund		2.50	
			\$ 816.50
Payments:			
Postage	\$	15.00	
Stationery and supplies		108.33	
Printing and binding		366.58	
Desk lights		28.84	
Telephone		147.94	
Association dues and expenses		53.03	
Maintenance office machines		49.60	
Transportation		17.46	
Subscription		2.50	
Fan		12.32	
Clock		9.00	
Total Payments	\$	810.60	
Balance to Revenue		5.90	
			\$ 816.50

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Accounting — Salaries and Wages

Appropriation		\$	7,686.80
Payments:			
Accountant	\$	5,304.00	
Clerk (part time)		1,671.66	
Other clerical		711.11	
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Total Payments	\$	7,686.77	
Balance to Revenue03	
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		\$	7,686.80

Accounting — Additional Compensation

Appropriation		\$	417.54
Payments	\$	417.14	
Balance to Revenue40	
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		\$	417.54

Accounting — New Equipment

Appropriation		\$	595.00
Payment: Printing Calculator		\$	595.00

Treasurer-Collector

Appropriation	\$	2,060.50	
Transferred from Reserve		908.58	
Refunds		19.42	
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		\$	2,988.50
Payments:			
Mailing and postage	\$	1,365.97	
Printed forms		241.08	
Telephone		166.89	
Preparing and certifying notes		40.00	
Maintenance office machines		132.25	
Traveling expenses		95.15	
Association dues and expenses		92.72	
Subscriptions		22.50	
Safety deposit box		6.00	
Office supplies		822.16	
Express		3.77	
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Total Payments	\$	2,988.49	
Balance to Revenue01	
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		\$	2,988.50

Treasurer-Collector — Salary and Wages

Appropriation		\$	16,478.21
Payments:			
Collector	\$	711.00	
Treasurer-Collector		5,304.00	

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Deputy Collector	2,902.50	
Clerks	6,534.57	
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Total Payments	\$ 15,452.07	
Balance to Revenue	\$ 1,026.14	
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		\$ 16,478.21
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Treasurer-Collector — Additional Compensation

Appropriation		\$ 624.01
Payments	\$ 565.48	
Balance to Revenue	58.53	
	<hr/>	\$ 624.01
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Treasurer-Collector — New Equipment

Appropriation		\$ 2,661.96
Payments:		
Adding machine	\$ 299.00	
Metal stand	29.25	
Mailing machine	721.32	
Check signer	665.00	
Typewriter	172.50	
Safe	206.30	
Desks	287.99	
Chairs	140.72	
Shelving	57.05	
Light fixtures	65.00	
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Total Payments	\$ 2,644.13	
Balance to Revenue	17.83	
	<hr/>	\$ 2,661.96
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Assessors

Appropriation		\$ 3,831.50
Payments:		
Abstracts of deeds	\$ 380.25	
Stationery and postage	156.35	
Printing and binding	366.95	
Advertising	66.00	
Telephone	188.99	
Association dues and expenses	132.73	
Maintenance office machines	162.10	
Transportation	132.80	
Freight and express	4.80	
Assessors' office plans and prints	537.40	
Office supplies	346.70	
Tax bills and commitment sheets	1,254.50	
Subscriptions	9.50	
Evaluation service	39.50	
Fluorescent tubes	34.17	

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All other	1.75	
Total Payments	\$ 3,814.49	
Encumbered	8.00	
Balance to Revenue	9.01	
		<u>\$ 3,831.50</u>

Assessors — Salaries and Wages

Appropriation		\$ 11,498.60
Payments:		
Assessors	\$ 2,563.00	
Clerks	8,072.95	
Total Payments	\$ 10,635.95	
Balance to Revenue	862.65	
		<u>\$ 11,498.60</u>

Assessors — Additional Compensation

Appropriation		\$ 550.41
Payments	\$ 492.53	
Balance to Revenue	57.88	
		<u>\$ 550.41</u>

Law

Appropriation		\$ 2,284.00
Payments:		
Claims	\$ 495.36	
Expenses	581.91	
Supplies	62.00	
Mass. laws	45.00	
Photos, plans and prints	18.05	
Association dues	10.00	
Postage	30.00	
Total Payments	\$ 1,242.32	
Balance to Revenue	1,041.68	
		<u>\$ 2,284.00</u>

Law — Salaries and Wages

Appropriation	\$ 6,500.00	
Transferred from Reserve	879.84	
		<u>\$ 7,379.84</u>
Payments:		
Town Counsel:		
Retainer	\$ 3,500.00	
Special services	3,379.84	
Legislative Counsel	500.00	
Total Payments		<u>\$ 7,379.84</u>

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Law — Additional Compensation

Appropriation	\$ 91.74
Payments	\$ 91.74

Town Clerk

Appropriation	\$ 975.00	
Transferred from Reserve	539.76	
		\$ 1,514.76
Payments:		
Postage	\$ 60.00	
Telephone	167.64	
Association dues and expenses	91.95	
Advertising	458.80	
Office supplies and forms	305.92	
Printing and binding	285.54	
Maintenance office machines	25.20	
Fee	7.00	
Desk	102.00	
Step ladder	9.98	
Total Payments	\$ 1,514.03	
Balance to Revenue .....	.73	
		\$ 1,514.76

Town Clerk — Salaries and Wages

Appropriation	\$ 10,447.55
Payments:	
Town Clerk	\$ 4,360.80
Clerks	6,074.77
Total Payments	\$ 10,435.57
Balance to Revenue	11.98
	\$ 10,447.55

Town Clerk — Additional Compensation

Appropriation	\$ 366.94
Payments	\$ 366.94

Town Clerk — New Equipment

Appropriation	\$ 885.64
Payments:	
Files and compartments	\$ 713.14
Typewriter	162.50
Total Payments	\$ 875.64
Balance to Revenue	10.00
	\$ 885.64

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Election and Registration

Balance, January 1, 1955	\$	17.45	
Appropriation		2,819.60	
Transferred from Reserve		494.20	
		<u> </u>	\$ 3,331.25

Payments:

Printing warrants	\$	850.00	
Postage		98.50	
Advertising		275.00	
Office supplies		103.04	
Printed forms		1,496.15	
Meals		5.78	
Printing street lists		480.00	
Repairs to balloting machine		22.78	
Total Payments		<u> </u>	\$ 3,331.25

Election and Registration — Salaries and Wages

Appropriation	\$	5,280.39	
Payments:			
Registrars	\$	400.00	
Election officers		1,158.00	
Janitor services		174.25	
Distributing warrants		500.00	
Clerical services		2,103.19	
Census takers		760.00	
		<u> </u>	
Total Payments	\$	5,095.44	
Balance to Revenue		184.95	
		<u> </u>	\$ 5,280.39

Election and Registration — Additional Compensation

Appropriation	\$	154.62	
Payments	\$	154.62	

Election and Registration — New Equipment

Appropriation	\$	60.00	
Payment: Tables	\$	58.35	
Balance to Revenue		1.65	
		<u> </u>	\$ 60.00

Town Hall and Lot and Thacher Building

Appropriation	\$	5,466.50	
Transferred from Reserve		550.00	
		<u> </u>	\$ 6,016.50

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Town Hall and Lot

Payments:

Outside grounds	\$ 96.00
Fuel	1,117.19
Light	850.89
Postage	1.50
Supplies	588.77
Repairs	595.94
Water	16.00
Gas	24.17
Use of auto	35.00
Advertising	10.00
Public Hall License	25.00
Flags	34.75
New Heater in garage	546.00

Thacher Building

Payments:

Fuel	\$ 781.89
Repairs and improvements	441.32
Light	630.92
Gas	46.59
Water	18.60
Total Payments	\$ 5,860.53
Balance to Revenue	155.97
	<u>\$ 6,016.50</u>

Town Hall and Lot and Thacher Building

Salaries and Wages

Appropriation	\$ 10,092.16
Transferred from Reserve	298.48
	<u>\$ 10,390.64</u>
Payments:	
Superintendent	\$ 3,759.60
Labor	6,547.56
Total Payments	\$ 10,307.16
Balance to Revenue	83.48
	<u>\$ 10,390.64</u>

Town Hall and Lot and Thacher Building

Additional Compensation

Appropriation	\$ 550.41
Payments	<u>\$ 550.41</u>

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Town Hall and Lot and Thacher Building

Overtime

Appropriation		\$	600.00
Payments	\$	571.00	
Balance to Revenue		29.00	
		<u> </u>	\$ 600.00

Town Hall and Lot and Thacher Building

New Equipment

Balance, January 1, 1955	\$	248.10	
Appropriation		2,000.00	
Transferred from Reserve		20.14	
		<u> </u>	\$ 2,268.24
Payments:			
Sectional boiler	\$	1,982.00	
Exhaust fan		136.24	
Water heater		150.00	
		<u> </u>	
Total Payments			\$ 2,268.24

Town Engineer

Appropriation		\$	1,579.00
Payments:			
Telephone	\$	300.81	
Office equipment and supplies		227.94	
Postage		15.00	
Maps, prints and recording		215.72	
Field equipment and supplies		131.57	
Motor repairs		156.27	
Gasoline		310.68	
Maintenance office machine		40.75	
Association dues		20.00	
Carfares, lunches and parking		36.50	
Garage rent		60.00	
Refinishing drafting tables		59.58	
All other		3.50	
		<u> </u>	
Total Payments	\$	1,578.32	
Balance to Revenue .....		.68	
		<u> </u>	\$ 1,579.00

Town Engineer — Salaries and Wages

Appropriation		\$	30,082.82
Payments:			
Town Engineer	\$	5,874.96	

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Assistants	19,801.86	
Clerk	3,150.03	
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Total Payments	\$ 28,826.85	
Balance to Revenue	1,255.97	
	<hr/>	\$ 30,082.82
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Town Engineer — Additional Compensation

Appropriation	\$ 1,467.76	
Transferred from Reserve	4.61	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,472.37
Payments		\$ 1,472.37
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Board of Appeals

Appropriation	\$ 1,000.00	
Transferred from Reserve	100.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,100.00
Payments:		
Services of board members	\$ 140.00	
Clerical services	420.00	
Special stenographic services	150.50	
Office supplies	50.82	
Stationery and postage	167.00	
Advertising	159.12	
Subscription	12.50	
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Total Payments	\$ 1,099.94	
Balance to Revenue06	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,100.00
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PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

Police

Appropriation	\$ 11,783.00	
Transferred from Reserve	109.54	
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Payments:

Motor Apparatus:

Repairs, parts and supplies	\$ 1,229.87
Gasoline and oil	4,542.66
Equipment for men	172.98

Maintenance of Buildings and Grounds:

Fuel	1,265.64
Light	568.16
Gas	38.26
Repairs and improvements	234.10
Supplies	127.90
Water	33.40

Other Expenses:

Printing	174.10
Postage	38.00
Telephone	964.41
Teletype	490.92
Maintenance office machines	42.00
Advertising	27.25
Dog and cat food	8.90
Food for prisoners	31.73
Medical expenses	53.95
Laundry	100.54
Investigating officers' expenses	222.71
Radio repairs	682.97
Camera repairs and supplies	115.42
Association dues and expenses	50.00
Mass. laws	30.00
Office supplies	331.88
Other equipment and repairs	42.00
Express	2.35
Signs	24.00
Posture chair	56.35
Directory service	75.00
Flares	17.79
Ammunition	50.13
Portrait	34.15
Fingerprint powder	12.52

Total Payments	\$ 11,892.04	
Balance to Revenue50	
	<hr/>	\$ 11,892.54

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Police — Salaries and Wages

Appropriation		\$ 183,761.78
Payments:		
Chief	\$ 5,626.20	
Deputy chief	4,726.80	
Lieutenants	8,365.86	
Sergeants	15,323.46	
Patrolmen	135,206.51	
Special police duty	84.00	
Clerks	3,893.45	
Mechanic	3,640.00	
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Total Payments	\$ 176,866.28	
Balance to Revenue	6,895.50	
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		<u>\$ 183,761.78</u>

Police — Additional Compensation

Appropriation		\$ 14,766.94
Payments	\$ 13,717.59	
Balance to Revenue	1,049.35	
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		<u>\$ 14,766.94</u>

Police — Private Work

Appropriation	\$ 30,000.00	
Transferred from Reserve	8,888.00	
Refunds	42.00	
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		\$ 38,930.00
Payments: Services of officers	\$ 38,910.00	
Balance to Revenue	20.00	
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		<u>\$ 38,930.00</u>

Special Account — Police Private Work

Expenditures from Available Funds in 1954	\$ 4,198.00
Raised in 1955 Tax Levy	\$ 4,198.00

Police — New Equipment (Automotive)

Appropriation		\$ 8,640.00
Payments:		
2 Plymouth Sedans	\$ 1,668.00	
1 Ford Sedan	977.60	
Lettering	75.00	
Tires	540.40	
Combination Ambulance and Patrol Wagon	4,750.00	
Chains and links	132.87	
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Total Payments	\$ 8,143.87	
Balance to Revenue	496.13	
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		<u>\$ 8,640.00</u>

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Police — Travel out of Commonwealth

Appropriation		\$	200.00
Payments	\$	145.78	
Balance to Revenue		54.22	
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		\$	200.00

Policemen's Uniforms

Appropriation		\$	1,700.00
Payments	\$	1,687.60	
Balance to Revenue		12.40	
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		\$	1,700.00

School Traffic Supervisors — Salaries and Wages

Appropriation	\$	1,443.75	
Transferred from Reserve		131.25	
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		\$	1,575.00
Payments			\$ 1,575.00

School Traffic Supervisors — Uniforms

Appropriation		\$	1,020.00
Payments	\$	915.90	
Balance to Revenue		104.10	
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		\$	1,020.00

Fire

Appropriation	\$	12,215.00	
Transferred from Reserve		99.00	
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		\$	12,314.00

Payments:

Equipment for men	\$	198.65
Chemicals, tools, accessories and repairs to same		671.10
Nozzles and couplings		87.53

Maintenance of motor apparatus:

Repairs and parts	1,863.60
Gasoline, oil and grease	1,070.25
Tires and tubes	546.00
Alternator expense	23.98
Rebuild engine	1,495.90

Maintenance of Buildings and Grounds:

Fuel	2,184.20
Light	750.58
Gas	59.60
Repairs and improvements	467.38
Laundry	647.22
Water	129.80
Building Supplies	482.22

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Other Expenses:

Radio repairs	517.84	
Stationery and postage	22.64	
Telephone	937.01	
Association dues and expenses	47.50	
Office supplies	58.92	
Typewriter maintenance	20.80	
Subscriptions	10.50	
Advertising	4.00	
Freight and express	8.33	
All other	7.25	
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Total Payments	\$ 12,312.80	
Balance to Revenue	1.20	
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		\$ 12,314.00

Fire — Salaries and Wages

Appropriation		\$ 196,096.68
Payments:		
Chief	\$ 5,304.00	
Deputy Chiefs	14,180.40	
Lieutenants	25,272.00	
Firefighters	148,145.08	
Clerk	3,166.28	
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Total Payments	\$ 196,067.76	
Balance to Revenue	28.92	
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		\$ 196,096.68

Fire — Additional Compensation

Appropriation		\$ 15,183.47
Payments	\$ 15,181.17	
Balance to Revenue	2.30	
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		\$ 15,183.47

Fire — Travel out of Commonwealth

Appropriation	\$ 150.00
Payments	\$ 150.00

Firemen's Uniforms

Appropriation	\$ 1,500.00
Payments	\$ 1,499.95
Balance to Revenue05
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	\$ 1,500.00

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Fire — New Hose

Appropriation		\$	2,380.00
Payments	\$	2,374.35	
Balance to Revenue		5.65	
		<u></u>	<u>\$ 2,380.00</u>

Hydrant Service

Appropriation	\$	28,875.00
Payments	\$	28,875.00
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Sealer of Weights and Measures

Appropriation	\$	390.75
Payments:		
Use of auto	\$	300.00
Association dues and expenses		30.00
Supplies		29.89
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Total Payments	\$	359.89
Balance to Revenue		30.86
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		<u>\$ 390.75</u>

Sealer of Weights and Measures — Salaries and Wages

Appropriation	\$	1,200.00
Payments: Salary	\$	1,200.00
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Sealer of Weights and Measures — Additional Compensation

Appropriation	\$	91.74
Payments	\$	91.74
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Sealer of Weights and Measures — Travel out of Commonwealth

Appropriation	\$	50.00
Balance to Revenue	\$	50.00
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Building

Appropriation	\$	1,141.50
Payments:		
Use of auto	\$	600.00
Office supplies		52.45
Maintenance office machines		30.90
Telephone		178.71
Advertising		18.00
Printing		44.00
Postage		16.15
Plans and prints		38.35

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Association dues and expenses	30.00	
All other	3.00	
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Total Payments	\$ 1,011.56	
Balance to Revenue	129.94	
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		\$ 1,141.50
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Building — Salaries and Wages

Appropriation		\$ 8,450.28
Payments:		
Inspector	\$ 5,023.20	
Deputy Inspector	160.80	
Clerks	3,266.28	
Total Payments		<hr/>
		\$ 8,450.28
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Building — Additional Compensation

Appropriation		\$ 390.02
Payments		<hr/>
		\$ 390.02
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Inspector of Plumbing

Appropriation		\$ 1,600.00
Payments:		
Inspector	\$ 1,424.50	
Deputy Inspector	31.50	
Plumbing permits	30.00	
Telephone	109.86	
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Total Payments	\$ 1,595.86	
Balance to Revenue	4.14	
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		\$ 1,600.00
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Wire

Appropriation		\$ 4,641.50
Payments:		
Telephone	\$ 139.51	
Light	44.85	
Gasoline and oil	373.65	
Motor repairs and parts	234.40	
Traffic lights	482.46	
Police alarm	314.19	
Fire alarm	426.47	
Materials, tools and supplies	1,378.81	
Office supplies	50.92	
Postage	12.00	
Association dues	8.00	
Garage rent	192.00	

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Printing	49.50	
Carfares	15.00	
Total Payments	\$ 3,721.76	
Encumbered	179.10	
Balance to Revenue	740.64	
		\$ 4,641.50

Wire — Salaries and Wages

Appropriation		\$ 17,934.28
Payments:		
Superintendent	\$ 5,023.20	
Assistant	4,229.35	
Labor	8,338.27	
Total Payments	\$ 17,590.82	
Balance to Revenue	343.46	
		\$ 17,934.28

Wire — Additional Compensation

Appropriation	\$ 917.35
Payments	\$ 917.35

Wire — Overtime

Appropriation		\$ 750.00
Payments	\$ 729.56	
Balance to Revenue	20.44	
		\$ 750.00

Wire — New Equipment

Appropriation		\$ 1,636.85
Payments:		
Fire alarm boxes	\$ 870.00	
Batteries	234.85	
Wire, etc.	517.01	
Total Payments	\$ 1,621.86	
Balance to Revenue	14.99	
		\$ 1,636.85

Wire — Travel out of Commonwealth

Appropriation	\$ 100.00
Balance to Revenue	\$ 100.00

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Wire — Southeast Expressway

Balance, January 1, 1955	\$ 5,444.46	
Appropriation	500.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 5,944.46
Payments:		
Alterations signal systems	\$ 3,328.45	
Iron wire	342.40	
Overtime	492.43	
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Total Payments	\$ 4,163.28	
Balance, December 31, 1955	1,781.18	
	<hr/>	\$ 5,944.46
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Forestry — General

Appropriation	\$ 30,883.80	
Appropriation (Additional Compensation)	1,834.70	
Transferred from Reserve	280.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 32,998.50
Payments:		
Superintendent	\$ 3,834.71	
Clerk	2,842.86	
Labor	22,147.90	
Office supplies	83.16	
Maintenance office machines	28.44	
Association dues	14.00	
Telephone	234.48	
Blue prints	30.70	
Postage	27.50	
Subscription	2.50	
Light	63.86	
Fuel	312.91	
Water	26.74	
Insecticide	156.22	
Fertilizer	28.40	
Gasoline and oil	1,109.78	
Motor repairs	875.01	
Registrations and inspections	16.00	
Other equipment and supplies	375.02	
First aid supplies	44.75	
Building repairs and supplies	85.02	
Rope	101.47	
Repairs to mill	20.74	
Trees	530.00	
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Total Payments	\$ 32,992.17	
Balance to Revenue	6.33	
	<hr/>	\$ 32,998.50
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Forestry — Overtime for Tree Climbers

Appropriation	\$	300.00		
Transferred from Reserve		115.00		
		<hr/>	\$	415.00
Payments	\$	410.98		
Balance to Revenue		4.02		
		<hr/>	\$	415.00
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Forestry — Private Work

Appropriation			\$	2,500.00
Payments:				
Superintendent	\$	301.43		
Labor		1,974.81		
Clerk		223.76		
Total Payments		<hr/>	\$	2,500.00
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Forestry — Co-operative Tree Planting Program

Receipts from Property Owners	\$	100.00
Payment for trees	\$	100.00
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Forestry — Control of Dutch Elm Disease

Appropriation			\$	2,500.00
Payments:				
Superintendent	\$	180.86		
Labor		1,172.14		
Clerk		134.26		
Gasoline and oil		193.99		
Motor repairs and parts		442.52		
Other equipment and parts		24.68		
Tools sharpened		24.02		
Insecticides		256.80		
Telephone		70.73		
Total Payments		<hr/>	\$	2,500.00
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Forestry — Insect Pest Control

Appropriation			\$	5,000.00
Payments:				
Superintendent	\$	343.68		
Labor		2,015.88		
Clerk		248.20		
Gasoline		255.75		
Motor repairs and parts		69.73		
Insecticides		1,845.88		
Postage		9.00		
Telephone		41.74		

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Other equipment, parts and repairs	144.05	
Tools sharpened	26.09	
Total Payments	<u> </u>	\$ 5,000.00

Forestry — Salary and Wage Control Account

Authorized wages Forestry employees (base pay)	\$ 33,585.79	
Additional Compensation	<u>1,834.70</u>	\$ 35,420.49

Payments:

Forestry — General	\$ 28,825.47	
Private Work	2,500.00	
Control of Dutch Elm Disease	1,487.26	
Insect Pest Control	<u>2,607.76</u>	
Total Payments	<u> </u>	\$ 35,420.49

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HEALTH AND SANITATION

Health

Appropriation	\$	3,831.00	
Transferred from Reserve		331.85	
		<hr/>	\$ 4,162.85
Payments:			
General Administration:			
Hospital service charge	\$	300.00	
Agent — use of auto		500.00	
Printing and postage		476.22	
Advertising		163.50	
Telephone		474.97	
Office supplies		126.89	
Typewriter maintenance		9.00	
Association dues and expenses		44.80	
Films developed		1.19	
Publications		15.34	
Vital Statistics		60.25	
Special flood rubbish collection		273.54	
Chloride		58.31	
Inoculations and vaccinations		389.60	
Milk Inspector:			
Analyses		902.25	
Expenses		27.89	
Use of car		96.00	
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Total Payments	\$	3,919.75	
Balance to Revenue		243.10	
		<hr/>	\$ 4,162.85

Health — Salaries and Wages

Appropriation			\$ 7,059.00
Payments:			
Agent	\$	4,763.20	
Clerical		1,694.80	
Milk Inspector		570.00	
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Total Payments	\$	7,028.00	
Balance to Revenue		31.00	
		<hr/>	\$ 7,059.00

Health — Additional Compensation

Appropriation	\$	275.21
Payments	\$	275.21

Health — New Equipment

Appropriation	\$	75.00
Payment: Bookcase sections	\$	75.00

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Hospitalization

Appropriation	\$	5,000.00	
Transferred from Reserve		1,249.75	
		<hr/>	\$ 6,249.75
Payments:			
Tuberculosis patients	\$	5,843.00	
Care of premature babies		237.75	
Polio clinic		135.00	
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Total Payments	\$	6,215.75	
Balance to Revenue		34.00	
		<hr/>	\$ 6,249.75
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Dental Clinic

Appropriation			\$ 2,150.00
Payments:			
Dentist	\$	1,575.00	
Assistant		491.83	
Supplies and repairs		82.74	
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Total Payments	\$	2,149.57	
Balance to Revenue43	
		<hr/>	\$ 2,150.00
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Chest Conference

Appropriation	\$	1,350.00	
Transferred from Reserve		100.00	
		<hr/>	\$ 1,450.00
Payments:			
Professional Services:			
Physician	\$	350.00	
Nurses		784.50	
Laundry and supplies		23.63	
X-ray service		289.00	
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Total Payments	\$	1,447.13	
Balance to Revenue		2.87	
		<hr/>	\$ 1,450.00
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Inspection of Animals

Appropriation	\$	300.00
Payments: Inspector's salary	\$	300.00
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Municipal Disposal Area

Appropriation	\$	199.90
Payments:		
Tickets	\$	76.50
Fuel		14.26

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Supplies	11.08	
Total Payments	\$ 101.84	
Balance to Revenue	98.06	
		\$ 199.90

Disposal Area — Salaries and Wages

Appropriation	\$ 3,571.60	
Transferred from Reserve	120.70	
		\$ 3,692.30
Payments: Caretakers	\$ 3,667.92	
Balance to Revenue	24.38	
		\$ 3,692.30

Disposal Area — Additional Compensation

Appropriation	\$ 229.47	
Transferred from Reserve	15.00	
		\$ 244.47
Payments	\$ 242.69	
Balance to Revenue	1.78	
		\$ 244.47

Rodent Control

Appropriation		\$ 400.00
Payments: Exterminating service	\$ 310.00	
Balance to Revenue	90.00	
		\$ 400.00

Sewer Maintenance

Appropriation		\$ 5,914.00
Payments:		
Administration:		
Office supplies	\$ 20.37	
Telephone	120.27	
Advertising	9.00	
Use of auto	304.80	
Maintenance office machines	13.40	
Blue prints and recordings	10.05	
Subscriptions	18.00	
General Expenses:		
Motor repairs and parts	260.12	
Gasoline and oil	197.50	
Tools and supplies	84.48	
Other equipment and repairs	213.73	
Cleaning sewers	1,331.70	
Street openings	8.34	
Pumping Station repairs and supplies	192.75	
Repair flood damage — pumping station	392.78	

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Cleaning storage tanks	128.00	
Light and power	2,384.15	
Water and service	46.08	
Gas	167.26	
Freight and express	9.73	
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Total Payments	\$ 5,912.51	
Balance to Revenue	1.49	
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		\$ 5,914.00
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Sewer Maintenance — Salaries and Wages

Appropriation		\$ 10,025.25
Payments:		
Superintendent	\$ 2,652.00	
Assistants	5,272.82	
Clerk	1,583.14	
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Total Payments	\$ 9,507.96	
Balance to Revenue	517.29	
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		\$ 10,025.25
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Sewer Maintenance — Overtime

Appropriation		\$ 200.00
Payments	\$ 199.45	
Balance to Revenue55	
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		\$ 200.00
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Sewer — Additional Compensation

Appropriation		\$ 1,341.99
Payments	\$ 1,241.58	
Balance to Revenue	100.41	
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		\$ 1,341.99
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Sewer Construction

Balance, January 1, 1955	\$ 66,465.01	
Appropriation	33,140.00	
Loan	70,000.00	
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		\$ 169,605.01
Payments:		
Administration:		
Use of auto	\$ 324.16	
Plans, prints and recording	150.49	
Office supplies	4.54	
Advertising	19.00	
Carfares	15.30	
Telephone	7.80	

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General Expenses:

Contract payments	54,618.95	
Extra work under contract	5,117.89	
Manhole frames and covers	1,878.50	
School Street construction	13,375.98	
Gasoline and oil	378.69	
Motor repairs and parts	224.11	
Street openings	90.00	
Tools and supplies	86.25	
Stakes	26.34	
Pumping Station repairs and supplies	336.39	
Pipe	285.22	
Contract labor	16.00	
Repair flood washout	691.18	
Hire of equipment	46.00	
New pumping station	9,700.00	
All other	13.50	
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Total Payments	\$ 87,406.29	
Balance, December 31, 1955	82,198.72	
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		\$ 169,605.01
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Sewer Construction — Salaries and Wages

Appropriation		\$ 17,867.58
Payments:		
Superintendent	\$ 2,652.00	
Assistants	11,606.33	
Clerk	1,583.14	
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Total Payments	\$ 15,841.47	
Balance to Revenue	2,026.11	
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		\$ 17,867.58
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Sewer Construction — Overtime

Appropriation		\$ 1,200.00
Payments	\$ 1,042.03	
Balance to Revenue	157.97	
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		\$ 1,200.00
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Sewer Assessment Refunds

Balance, January 1, 1955	\$ 1,384.88
Balance, December 31, 1955	\$ 1,384.88
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Collection of Ashes and Garbage

Appropriation	\$ 86,520.00
Payments	\$ 86,520.00
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Reserve Account for Liquidated Damages (Ashes and Garbage Contract)

Balance, January 1, 1955	\$	1,392.00		
Withheld from Contract payments		865.20		
		<hr/>	\$	2,257.20
Balance, December 31, 1955			\$	<u><u>2,257.20</u></u>

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HIGHWAYS

Highway — General

Appropriation	\$ 142,875.00	
Appropriation (Additional Compensation)	8,439.62	
	<hr/>	\$ 151,314.62

Payments:

General Administration:

Superintendent	\$ 5,487.48
Clerks	7,142.11
Office expenses	265.98
Telephone	332.06
Maintenance office machines	123.22
Calculating machine	293.00

General Expenses:

Labor	69,965.73
Automotive equipment, repairs and supplies	3,326.02
Registrations, insurance and inspections	84.50
Other equipment, repairs and supplies	1,873.85
Gasoline, oil and grease	2,509.53
Equipment for men	259.72
Transportation and rental of equipment	3,279.25
Building repairs and supplies	1,142.95
First Aid supplies	38.17
Fuel	1,422.64
Light	343.13
Water	59.16
Stone, sand and gravel	628.50
Asphaltic and bituminous concrete	5,327.72
Spreading bituminous concrete	350.27
Tar, bitumuls and emulsion	639.06
Cement and transit concrete	243.52
Signs	514.08
Explosives	26.18
Kerosene	149.70
Drain castings	278.22
Repairs to service pipe	12.69
Lumber	92.30
Grass seed	28.50
Paint and reflective beads	1,720.50
Traffic control signs	698.06
Curbing	505.71
Fence materials	3.37
Brick	51.00
Cement blocks	162.13
Pipe	237.36
Loam	242.25
Express	1.35

Street Cleaning:

Labor	20,183.82
Tools and equipment:	219.73

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Snow and Ice Removal:		
Labor	11,117.36	
Plowing and trucking	350.98	
Equipment and repairs	851.94	
Gasoline and oil	530.44	
Sand and salt	2,497.45	
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Total Payments	\$ 145,612.69	
Balance to Revenue	5,701.93	
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		\$ 151,314.62
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Highway — Unpaid Bills of 1954

Appropriation		\$ 801.07
Payments:		
Plowing snow	\$ 402.92	
Sand	398.15	
Total Payments	<hr/>	\$ 801.07
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Highway — New Equipment

Appropriation	\$ 12,475.00	
Transferred from Reserve	1,682.29	
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		\$ 14,157.29
Payments:		
3 Trucks	\$ 5,215.00	
Tandem roller	7,000.00	
Sand spreader	1,881.60	
Registration, lettering, etc.	33.00	
Bumper assembly	27.69	
Total Payments	<hr/>	\$ 14,157.29
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Permanent Construction

Appropriation		\$ 10,000.00
Payments:		
Labor	\$ 2,425.11	
Materials	4,747.77	
Gasoline and oil	133.11	
Contract labor	20.00	
Rental of equipment	258.50	
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Total Payments	\$ 7,584.49	
Balance to Revenue	2,415.51	
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		\$ 10,000.00
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Highway — Private Work

Appropriation		\$ 3,000.00
Payments:		
Labor	\$ 1,191.45	

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Materials	1,087.44	
Gasoline	69.69	
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Total Payments	\$ 2,348.58	
Balance to Revenue	651.42	
	<hr/>	\$ 3,000.00
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Drainage

Appropriation	\$ 9,000.00	
Transferred from Reserve	4,600.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 13,600.00
Payments:		
Labor	\$ 5,312.16	
Materials	1,592.18	
Gasoline and oil	168.47	
Equipment for men	19.12	
Rental of equipment	6,075.00	
Equipment and repairs	193.62	
Tools sharpened	13.45	
Kerosene	21.00	
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Total Payments	\$ 13,395.00	
Balance to Revenue	205.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 13,600.00
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Dexter Street

(Lafayette Street to Norman Street)

Balance, January 1, 1955		\$ 4,119.38
Payments:		
Labor	\$ 874.96	
Materials	184.89	
Gasoline	32.44	
Repairs to wall	35.00	
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Total Payments	\$ 1,127.29	
Balance to Revenue	2,992.09	
	<hr/>	\$ 4,119.38
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Lafayette Street

(Blue Hill Avenue to Truro Lane)

Balance, January 1, 1955		\$ 2,961.02
Payments:		
Labor	\$ 944.16	
Materials	182.28	
Gasoline	17.02	
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Total Payments	\$ 1,143.46	
Balance to Revenue	1,817.56	
	<hr/>	\$ 2,961.02
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Bartons Lane (Glendale Road to Fuller's Lane)

Appropriation		\$ 17,226.00
Payments:		
Labor	\$ 4,372.10	
Materials	4,060.12	
Equipment	263.12	
Advertising	9.25	
Rental of equipment	1,190.00	
Explosives	2.74	
Gasoline and oil	286.75	
Sign	4.95	
Kerosene	23.52	
Furnishing and spreading bituminous concrete	1,620.46	
Tools sharpened	6.65	
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Total Payments	\$ 11,839.66	
Balance, December 31, 1955	5,386.34	
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		\$ 17,226.00
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Dean Road (Pleasant Street to Pine Avenue)

Appropriation		\$ 14,250.00
Payments:		
Labor	\$ 7,901.54	
Materials	3,459.28	
Equipment	321.29	
Advertising	7.50	
Rental of equipment	1,339.50	
Explosives	9.33	
Gasoline and oil	385.52	
Signs	9.90	
Kerosene	20.55	
Tools sharpened	33.95	
Furnishing and spreading bituminous concrete	322.71	
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Total Payments	\$ 13,811.07	
Balance to Revenue	438.93	
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		\$ 14,250.00
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Elmwood Avenue (Milton-Quincy Line to Milton-Quincy Line)

Appropriation		\$ 660.00
Payments:		
Labor	\$ 26.21	
Materials	42.75	
Equipment	5.64	
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Total Payments	\$ 74.60	

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Balance, December 31, 1955	585.40	
	<u> </u>	\$ 660.00
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Franklin Street (Howe Street to Alvin Avenue)

Appropriation		\$ 11,520.00
Payments:		
Labor	\$ 695.72	
Materials	1,345.48	
Equipment	56.45	
Advertising	6.50	
Signs	9.90	
Rental of equipment	447.00	
Kerosene	6.98	
Gasoline	20.52	
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Total Payments	\$ 2,588.55	
Balance, December 31, 1955	8,931.45	
	<u> </u>	\$ 11,520.00
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Victoria Street (Ferncroft Road to Savin Street)

Appropriation		\$ 12,750.00
Payments:		
Labor	\$ 5,417.32	
Materials	4,274.68	
Equipment	184.92	
Advertising	6.75	
Rental of equipment	1,271.50	
Explosives	12.05	
Signs	6.45	
Kerosene	37.20	
Tools sharpened	19.45	
Gasoline and oil	358.31	
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Total Payments	\$ 11,588.63	
Balance to Revenue	1,161.37	
	<u> </u>	\$ 12,750.00
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Sidewalks

Appropriation		\$ 3,000.00
Payments:		
Labor	\$ 994.47	
Materials	616.89	
Gasoline and oil	35.35	
	<u> </u>	
Total Payments	\$ 1,646.71	
Balance to Revenue	1,353.29	
	<u> </u>	\$ 3,000.00
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Chapter 90 (Maintenance)

Appropriation	\$ 1,500.00	
Available Funds	3,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 4,500.00
Payments:		
Labor	\$ 688.69	
Materials	3,562.90	
Gasoline	32.41	
Rental of equipment	216.00	
Total Payments	<hr/>	\$ 4,500.00
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Chapter 90 (Reconstruction and Resurfacing)

Appropriation	\$ 8,000.00	
Available Funds	24,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 32,000.00
Payments:		
Labor	\$ 8,530.51	
Materials	12,037.51	
Gasoline	464.99	
Rental of equipment	1,012.18	
Furnishing and spreading bituminous concrete	9,954.81	
Total Payments	<hr/>	\$ 32,000.00
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Highway — Salary and Wage Control Account

Authorized wages Highway employees (base pay)	\$ 142,459.06	
(Additional Compensation)	8,439.62	
Overtime	10,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 160,898.68
Payments:		
Highway — General	\$ 114,214.20	
Permanent Construction	2,425.11	
Private Work	1,191.45	
Drainage	5,312.16	
Dexter Street	874.96	
Lafayette Street	944.16	
Bartons Lane	4,372.10	
Dean Road	7,901.54	
Elmwood Avenue	26.21	
Franklin Street	695.72	
Victoria Street	5,417.32	
Sidewalks	994.47	
Chapter 90 (Maintenance)	688.69	
Chapter 90 (Reconstruction and Resurfacing)	8,530.51	
Total Payments	\$ 153,588.60	
Unexpended	7,310.08	
	<hr/>	\$ 160,898.68
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Improvement of Pine Tree Brook

Balance, January 1, 1955	\$ 34,841.00	
Appropriation	50,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 84,841.00
Balance, December 31, 1955		<hr/> <hr/> \$ 84,841.00

Committee — Pine Tree Brook Improvement

Appropriation	\$ 1,000.00
Balance, December 31, 1955	<hr/> <hr/> \$ 1,000.00

Street Lighting

Appropriation		\$ 62,330.00
Payments	\$ 59,159.06	
Balance to Revenue	3,170.94	
	<hr/>	\$ 62,330.00
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Traffic Lights

Appropriation	\$ 1,400.00	
Transferred from Reserve	7.59	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,407.59
Payments		<hr/> <hr/> \$ 1,407.59

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CHARITIES AND VETERANS' BENEFITS

Welfare Administration

Appropriation		\$	1,613.00
Payments:			
Office supplies	\$	213.31	
Printing and postage		163.23	
Employees' expenses		39.80	
Telephone		638.44	
Subscription		4.50	
Membership dues		36.00	
Advertising		42.25	
Garage rent		60.00	
Auto expense		190.84	
Gasoline and oil		67.97	
Maintenance office equipment		55.50	
Social Service index		49.50	
Appraisal service		15.00	
Binding		12.00	
All other		5.70	
Total Payments	\$	1,594.04	
Balance to Revenue		18.96	
			<u>\$ 1,613.00</u>

Welfare — Salaries and Wages

Appropriation		\$	6,708.82
Payments:			
Agent	\$	1,836.00	
Social Workers		2,386.21	
Clerks		2,451.36	
Total Payments	\$	6,673.57	
Balance to Revenue		35.25	
			<u>\$ 6,708.82</u>

Welfare — Additional Compensation

Appropriation		\$	934.60
Payments	\$	882.35	
Balance to Revenue		52.25	
			<u>\$ 934.60</u>

Welfare — New Equipment

Appropriation		\$	3,389.20
Payments:			
Addressograph	\$	2,027.21	
Plymouth Sedan		1,289.90	

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Tubes	6.60	
Total Payments	\$ 3,323.71	
Balance to Revenue	65.49	
		\$ 3,389.20

Welfare — Travel out of Commonwealth

Appropriation	\$ 100.00
Payments	\$ 100.00

Medical Consultant

Appropriation	\$ 600.00
Payments: Services	\$ 125.00
Balance to Revenue	475.00
	\$ 600.00

General Relief

Appropriation	\$ 10,150.00
Payments:	
Board and care	\$ 495.29
Groceries	228.64
Rent	360.00
Clothing	77.81
Hospitalization	1,405.60
Fuel	242.19
Light	14.66
Medicine and medical attendance	458.31
Cash grants to individuals	2,473.00
Relief reimbursed to other cities and towns	4,322.17
Dental	14.00
Transportation	23.00
Total Payments	\$ 10,114.67
Balance to Revenue	35.33
	\$ 10,150.00

Disability Assistance

Appropriation	\$ 13,000.00
Payments:	
Direct cash grants to individuals	\$ 3,175.04
Indirect cash grants to individuals	9,824.96
Total Payments	\$ 13,000.00

Old Age Assistance

Appropriation	\$ 123,500.00
Refunds	209.55
	\$ 123,709.55

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Payments:

Direct cash grants to individuals	\$ 57,465.77	
Indirect cash grants to individuals	61,291.07	
Relief reimbursed to other cities	2,432.06	
Relief reimbursed to other towns	2,520.65	
Total Payments		<u>\$ 123,709.55</u>

Aid to Dependent Children

Appropriation		\$ 12,500.00
Payments:		
Direct cash grants to individuals	\$ 10,980.30	
Indirect cash grants to individuals	1,519.70	
Total Payments		<u>\$ 12,500.00</u>

U. S. Grant, Disability Assistance

Balance, January 1, 1955	\$ 3,117.99	
Received from United States Government	6,415.80	
		<u>\$ 9,533.79</u>
Payments:		
Direct cash grants to individuals	\$ 4,793.64	
Indirect cash grants to individuals	3,495.88	
Total Payments	\$ 8,289.52	
Balance, December 31, 1955	1,244.27	
		<u>\$ 9,533.79</u>

U. S. Grant, Disability Assistance Administration

Balance, January 1, 1955	\$ 1,056.19	
Received from United States Government	1,195.65	
		<u>\$ 2,251.84</u>
Payments:		
Agent	\$ 408.00	
Social Workers	447.64	
Clerks	427.54	
Total Payments	\$ 1,283.18	
Balance, December 31, 1955	968.66	
		<u>\$ 2,251.84</u>

U. S. Grant, Old Age Assistance

Balance, January 1, 1955	\$ 10,971.94	
Received from United States Government	66,516.71	
Refunds	276.05	
Transferred from Recovery Account	3,393.63	
		<u>\$ 81,158.33</u>

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Payments:

Direct cash grants to individuals	\$ 58,483.66	
Indirect cash grants to individuals	7,737.91	
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Total Payments	\$ 66,221.57	
Balance, December 31, 1955	14,936.76	
	<hr/>	\$ 81,158.33
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U. S. Grant, Old Age Assistance Administration

Balance, January 1, 1955	\$ 7,886.48	
Received from United States Government	9,213.23	
	<hr/>	\$ 17,099.71
Payments:		
Agent	\$ 2,652.00	
Social Workers	3,186.42	
Clerks	3,154.56	
Postage	150.00	
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Total Payments	\$ 9,142.98	
Balance, December 31, 1955	7,956.73	
	<hr/>	\$ 17,099.71
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U. S. Grant, Aid to Dependent Children

Balance, January 1, 1955	\$ 2,601.38	
Received from United States Government	9,042.38	
	<hr/>	\$ 11,643.76
Payments:		
Direct cash grants to individuals	\$ 7,227.33	
Indirect cash grants to individuals	212.25	
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Total Payments	\$ 7,439.58	
Balance, December 31, 1955	4,204.18	
	<hr/>	\$ 11,643.76
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U. S. Grant, Aid to Dependent Children Administration

Balance, January 1, 1955	\$ 1,034.41	
Received from United States Government	1,538.39	
	<hr/>	\$ 2,572.80
Payments:		
Agent	\$ 408.00	
Social Workers	474.12	
Clerks	537.18	
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Total Payments	\$ 1,419.30	
Balance, December 31, 1955	1,153.50	
	<hr/>	\$ 2,572.80
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Recovery — Old Age Assistance

Balance, January 1, 1955	\$	5,356.24	
Recoveries		7,732.99	
		<hr/>	\$ 13,089.23
Transfers	\$	8,133.44	
Balance, December 31, 1955		4,955.79	
		<hr/>	\$ 13,089.23
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Welfare — Salary and Wage Control Account

Authorized Salaries and Wages (Town Meeting)			\$ 19,119.84
Payments:			
Welfare — Salary and Wage Account	\$	6,673.57	
U. S. Grant, Old Age Assistance Administration		8,992.98	
U. S. Grant, Aid Dependent Children Administration ..		1,419.30	
U. S. Grant, Disability Assistance Administration		1,283.18	
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Total Payments	\$	18,369.03	
Unexpended		750.81	
		<hr/>	\$ 19,119.84
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Veterans' Benefits

Appropriation			\$ 28,304.80
Payments:			
Administration:			
Investigator's expenses	\$	13.00	
Other expenses:			
Cash		17,427.60	
Medicine and medical attendance, hospitalization ..		4,977.07	
Dental		9.00	
Fuel		14.00	
Board and care		3,165.72	
Groceries		110.00	
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Total Payments	\$	25,716.39	
Balance to Revenue		2,588.41	
		<hr/>	\$ 28,304.80
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Veterans' Benefits — Salaries and Wages

Appropriation	\$	1,695.20
Payments: Salary of Investigator	\$	1,695.20
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SCHOOLS AND LIBRARIES

Schools — General Expenses

Balance, January 1, 1955	\$ 21,501.00	
Appropriation	165,253.17	
		\$ 186,754.17

Payments:

Administration:

Superintendent — Use of auto	\$ 350.00
Other traveling expenses	53.12
Office expenses	2,535.35
Telephones (office)	901.55
Transportation — Supt. of Buildings and Grounds ..	250.00
Maintenance and operation of truck	233.95

Maintenance of Buildings and Grounds:

High:

Telephone	318.46
Water	198.55
Light	2,778.26
Fuel	4,789.11
Gas	130.84
Janitors' supplies	1,808.89
Repairs and replacement	37,975.58

Junior High:

Telephone	452.00
Water	311.04
Light	4,733.95
Fuel	5,266.58
Gas	329.39
Janitors' supplies	717.14
Repairs and replacements	7,895.01

Elementary:

Telephone	1,090.52
Water	571.73
Light	8,933.40
Fuel	10,093.95
Gas	731.66
Janitors' supplies	2,752.23
Repairs and replacements	17,730.91

Instruction:

High:

Textbooks	2,757.13
Libraries	512.76
Supplies	5,255.88

Junior High:

Textbooks	3,394.38
Libraries	221.83
Supplies	3,415.66

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Elementary:		
Textbooks	6,963.15	
Libraries	914.51	
Supplies	7,006.71	
Transportation of Pupils:		
High	10,392.50	
Junior High	4,773.30	
Elementary	7,952.29	
New Equipment:		
High	2,853.48	
Junior High	1,329.69	
Elementary	2,958.00	
Sundries:		
High	568.50	
Junior High	91.02	
Elementary	429.98	
Health:		
Nurse — Use of auto	250.00	
Medical supplies	279.20	
Physical Education	2,765.41	
Tuition	976.20	
School Census	780.00	
Driver Education	445.27	
Traveling expenses (instructors)	586.62	
Total Payments	\$ 181,806.64	
Encumbered	4,947.00	
Balance to Revenue .....	.53	
		\$ 186,754.17

School — Salaries and Wages

Balance, January 1, 1955	\$ 24.83	
Appropriation	809,149.32	
		\$ 809,174.15
Superintendent	\$ 12,000.00	
Clerks:		
Administration	12,880.28	
Instruction:		
High	3,265.60	
Junior High	6,016.92	
Elementary	1,767.97	
Teachers:		
High	171,789.72	
Junior High	179,568.31	
Elementary	330,737.45	
Janitors:		
High	10,187.90	
Junior High	18,199.68	
Elementary	29,121.56	
Superintendent of Buildings and Grounds	5,784.58	

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Mechanics:

High	1,612.82
Junior High	2,434.50
Elementary	3,936.32

Health:

Physicians	2,745.00
Nurses	3,094.44

Bus Matrons:

High	1,096.84
Junior High	438.74
Elementary	658.23
Attendance Officer	200.00
Director — School Lunch Program	3,850.00
Athletic Supervisor	5,766.68

Total Payments	\$ 807,153.54	
Balance to Revenue	2,020.61	
	<u> </u>	\$ 809,174.15

School — Additional Compensation

Appropriation		\$ 5,069.09
Payments	\$ 5,038.01	
Balance to Revenue	31.08	
	<u> </u>	\$ 5,069.09

Unpaid Bill of 1953

Appropriation	\$ 167.96
Payment: Tuition	\$ 167.96

Schools — Travel out of Commonwealth

Appropriation		\$ 450.00
Payments	\$ 363.04	
Balance to Revenue	86.96	
	<u> </u>	\$ 450.00

High School — Repairs and Alterations

(In connection with addition construction)

Balance, January 1, 1955		\$ 36,691.10
Payments: Contract	\$ 31,391.10	
Balance, December 31, 1955	5,300.00	
	<u> </u>	\$ 36,691.10

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High School Addition Construction

Balance, January 1, 1955		\$ 255,136.71
Payments:		
Contract payments	\$ 208,202.18	
Professional testing services	125.50	
Advertising	21.75	
Equipment and supplies	3,765.01	
Fencing	818.00	
Landscaping	2,182.50	
Water installation	1,001.57	
Insurance	113.64	
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Total Payments	\$ 216,230.15	
Balance, December 31, 1955	38,906.56	
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		<u>\$ 255,136.71</u>

Committee — Central High School

Balance, January 1, 1955	\$ 500.00
Balance, December 31, 1955	\$ 500.00
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Vocational Education

Appropriation		\$ 6,000.00
Payments:		
Tuition	\$ 5,104.27	
Transportation	362.45	
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Total Payments	\$ 5,466.72	
Balance to Revenue	533.28	
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		<u>\$ 6,000.00</u>

Evening Practical Arts Classes

Appropriation		\$ 3,750.00
Payments:		
Instructors	\$ 1,774.99	
Janitor service	437.77	
Supplies	12.35	
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Total Payments	\$ 2,225.11	
Balance to Revenue	1,524.89	
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		<u>\$ 3,750.00</u>

George Barden-Smith-Hughes Fund

Balance, January 1, 1955	\$ 675.01	
Grants	200.00	
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		\$ 875.01
Payments: Instructors (Evening classes)		\$ 875.01
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School Lunch Program

Balance, January 1, 1955	\$ 7,481.07	
Receipts	85,205.11	
	<hr/>	\$ 92,686.18
Payments	\$ 80,053.20	
Balance, December 31, 1955	12,632.98	
	<hr/>	\$ 92,686.18
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School Athletic Fund

Balance, January 1, 1955	\$ 2,419.57	
Receipts	7,141.12	
	<hr/>	\$ 9,560.69
Payments	\$ 6,664.02	
Balance, December 31, 1955	2,896.67	
	<hr/>	\$ 9,560.69
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Libraries

Appropriation	\$ 19,208.00	
Refund	3.35	
	<hr/>	\$ 19,211.35

Payments:

Books, periodicals, etc.:

Books	\$ 8,950.51
Periodicals and newspapers	821.11
Binding	2,218.75
Library and office supplies	1,090.05

Building and grounds:

Fuel	1,560.10
Light	1,247.67
Gas	155.92
Laundry	12.21
Repairs	587.86
Garage rent	96.00
Water	37.40
Building supplies	474.55
Outside grounds	82.89

Other Expenses:

Rental of reading room	150.00
Advertising	35.12
Telephone	461.53
Book storage	52.00
Motor repairs and parts	81.70
Gasoline, oil and grease	103.89
Transportation	121.95
Association dues and expenses	83.55
Maintenance office machines	114.00
Postage	351.19
Freight and express	7.35

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Medical supplies	3.23	
Maintenance and equipment	228.50	
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Total Payments	\$ 19,129.03	
Balance to Revenue	82.32	
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		\$ 19,211.35
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Library — Salaries and Wages

Appropriation		\$ 52,950.79
Payments:		
Librarian	\$ 5,023.20	
Assistants	36,226.87	
Janitors	9,847.77	
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Total Payments	\$ 51,097.84	
Balance to Revenue	1,852.95	
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		\$ 52,950.79
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Library — Additional Compensation

Appropriation		\$ 2,972.23
Payments	\$ 2,759.16	
Balance to Revenue	213.07	
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		\$ 2,972.23
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Temporary Employees and Janitors' Overtime

Appropriation		\$ 4,135.00
Payments:		
Temporary employees	\$ 3,588.05	
Janitors' overtime	349.59	
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Total Payments	\$ 3,937.64	
Balance to Revenue	197.36	
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		\$ 4,135.00
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Library — New Equipment

Appropriation		\$ 260.97
Payments:		
Files	\$ 116.02	
Stools	40.50	
Unit shelving	68.00	
Protectors	29.05	
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Total Payments	\$ 253.57	
Balance to Revenue	7.40	
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		\$ 260.97
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Library — Replacement of Equipment

Appropriation	\$	307.50	
Refund		57.60	
		<hr/>	\$ 365.10
Payments:			
Chairs	\$	115.20	
Files		33.20	
Folio supports		72.00	
Lamp		15.30	
Wire supports		103.50	
Light fixture		6.00	
Sander		15.95	
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Total Payments	\$	361.15	
Balance to Revenue		3.95	
		<hr/>	\$ 365.10
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Library — Travel out of Commonwealth

Appropriation			\$ 375.00
Payments	\$	372.22	
Balance to Revenue		2.78	
		<hr/>	\$ 375.00
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Library — Repairs to Roof Central Library

Appropriation			\$ 970.00
Payments	\$	680.00	
Balance to Revenue		290.00	
		<hr/>	\$ 970.00
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Milton Educational Society Gift to Town for Library Uses

Withdrawals from Trust Fund	\$	462.00	
Reimbursement for broken records		4.00	
		<hr/>	\$ 466.00
Payments: Records			\$ 466.00
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Library Fund u/w Nathaniel T. Kidder

Balance, January 1, 1955	\$	4,542.24	
Interest received		1,272.62	
Refund		18.22	
		<hr/>	\$ 5,833.08
Payments:			
Steel locker	\$	21.09	
Show case		95.00	
Book truck		49.50	
Chairs		94.75	
Asphalt driveway		245.00	

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Catalog section	131.00	
Tile floor	245.00	
Wiring	525.00	
All other	167.96	
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Total Payments	\$ 1,574.30	
Balance, December 31, 1955	4,258.78	
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		\$ 5,833.08
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Investigation of Proposal to Enlarge Central Library

Balance, January 1, 1955	\$ 587.77
Payments: Professional services	\$ 587.77
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Committee — Central Library

(Art. 33 of 1953)

Balance, January 1, 1955	\$ 100.00
Payments: Professional services	\$ 100.00
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Library Committee

(Art. 65 of 1955)

Appropriation	\$ 2,500.00
Payments	\$ 600.00
Balance, December 31, 1955	1,900.00
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	\$ 2,500.00
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RECREATION AND UNCLASSIFIED

Parks and Playgrounds

Appropriation	\$	4,796.00	
Refund		3.58	
		<hr/>	\$ 4,799.58

Payments:

Superintendent — Use of auto	\$	200.00
Subscription		7.00
Stationery, postage and supplies		46.09
Telephone		107.65
Clerical service		100.00
Advertising		22.00
Dues		2.00

Parks:

Equipment and repairs	122.33
Field house upkeep	53.64
Services of officer	12.00
Paint, tools and hardware	440.45
Gasoline and oil	77.61
Motor repairs and parts	141.83
Fuel	158.34
Light	16.98
Gas	68.33
Water and expenses	41.05
Loam and fertilizer	180.67
Barn rental	180.00
Lumber	82.33
Garage rent	72.00
Chain link fence	262.00
Resurfacing tennis courts	1,500.00
Asphalt patch	30.38
All other	3.52

Playgrounds:

Prizes and refreshments	15.40
Play equipment and supplies	719.98
First aid supplies	3.84
Transportation of children	121.00

Total Payments	\$	4,788.42	
Balance to Revenue		11.16	
		<hr/>	\$ 4,799.58

Parks — Salaries and Wages

Appropriation	\$	13,549.60
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Payments:

Superintendent	\$	4,477.21
Labor		5,889.89
Summer play instructors		1,880.00

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Indoor recreation leaders	791.00	
Custodians	120.00	
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Total Payments	\$ 13,158.10	
Balance to Revenue	391.50	
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		\$ 13,549.60
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Parks — Additional Compensation

Appropriation	\$ 550.41
Payments	\$ 550.41
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Development of Andrews Playground

Appropriation	\$ 3,000.00
Payments:	
Materials	\$ 2,930.60
Hire of equipment	67.00
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Total Payments	\$ 2,997.60
Balance to Revenue	2.40
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	\$ 3,000.00
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Development of Mary C. Lane Memorial Playground

Appropriation	\$ 3,000.00
Payments:	
Material	\$ 2,815.00
Hire of equipment	184.00
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Total Payments	\$ 2,999.00
Balance to Revenue	1.00
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	\$ 3,000.00
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Pensions — Policemen and Firemen

Appropriation	\$ 50,982.28
Transferred from Reserve	1,131.62
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	\$ 52,113.90
Payments: Pensions	\$ 52,113.90
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Pensions — Policemen's and Firemen's Widows

Appropriation	\$ 3,000.00
Payments: Pensions	\$ 3,000.00
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Pensions — Laborers

Appropriation	\$ 10,203.72
Transferred from Reserve	2,892.19
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	\$ 13,095.91
Payments: Pensions	\$ 13,095.91
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Pensions — Public School Teachers

Appropriation	\$ 5,107.50
Payments: Pensions	\$ 5,107.50

Special Annuity (Chap. 16 of 1919)

Appropriation	\$ 1,700.00
Payments	\$ 1,700.00

Annuities (Chap. 32, Sec. 89)

Appropriation	\$ 5,100.00
Payments	\$ 5,100.00

Special Annuities) (Chap. 387 of 1953)

Appropriation	\$ 1,484.37
Payments	\$ 1,484.37

Veterans' Pensions (Chap. 32, Sec. 58)

Appropriation	\$ 1,787.50
Payments	\$ 1,787.50

Memorial Day

Appropriation	\$ 700.00
Payments:	
Milton Post Band	\$ 150.00
Milton Drum and Bugle Corps	150.00
Plants and wreaths	265.05
Flags	76.48
Total Payments	\$ 641.53
Balance to Revenue	58.47
	<u>\$ 700.00</u>

July Fourth Celebration

Appropriation	\$ 500.00
Refund	35.50
	<u>\$ 535.50</u>
Payments:	
Prizes	\$ 170.00
Refreshments	57.00
Band Concert	254.00

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Tennis tournament	24.50	
Advertising	30.00	
Total Payments	<u> </u>	\$ 535.50

Veterans' Day — November 11th

Appropriation		\$ 100.00
Payments:		
Milton Post Band	\$ 92.00	
Wreath	8.00	
Total Payments	<u> </u>	\$ 100.00

Insurance

Appropriation		\$ 35,345.52
Payments:		
Workingmen's Compensation	\$ 12,772.71	
Fire	12,255.46	
Town employees' bonds	882.87	
Fire and theft	291.52	
Public Liability	453.01	
Sealer's equipment	24.37	
Sewer Department	553.76	
Money and securities	221.85	
Boiler	2,138.03	
Total Payments	\$ 29,593.58	
Encumbered	1,100.00	
Balance to Revenue	<u>4,651.94</u>	\$ 35,345.52

Reserve Fund

Appropriation	\$ 19,145.49	
Transferred from Overlay Reserve	10,854.51	
Transferred from Water Receipts Reserve	<u>3,250.00</u>	\$ 33,250.00
Transfers:		
Warrant Committee	\$ 386.26	
Treasurer-Collector	908.58	
Law — Salaries and Wages	879.84	
Town Clerk	539.76	
Election and Registration	494.20	
Thacher Building — Town Hall	550.00	
Town Hall and Lot — Salaries and Wages	298.48	
Town Hall and Lot — New Equipment	20.14	
Town Engineer — Additional Compensation	4.61	
Board of Appeals	100.00	
Police	109.54	
Police — Private Work	8,888.00	
School Traffic Supervisors — Salaries and Wages	131.25	

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Fire	99.00	
Forestry — General	280.00	
Forestry — Overtime for Tree Climbers	115.00	
Health	331.85	
Health — Hospitalization	1,249.75	
Health — Chest Conference	100.00	
Disposal Area — Salaries and Wages	120.70	
Disposal Area — Additional Compensation	15.00	
Highway — Traffic Lights	7.59	
Highway — New Equipment	1,682.29	
Highway — Drainage	4,600.00	
Police and Fire Pensions	1,131.62	
Laborers' Pensions	2,892.19	
Land Taking — Spruce Street	500.00	
Water — Overtime	3,250.00	
Total Transfers	\$ 29,685.65	
To Overlay-Reserve	3,564.35	
		<u>\$ 33,250.00</u>

Town Reports

Appropriation	\$ 4,566.12
Payments: Printing reports	<u>\$ 4,566.12</u>

Mosquito Control Work

Appropriation	\$ 500.00
Payments: To Commonwealth of Massachusetts	<u>\$ 500.00</u>

Mosquito Nuisance — Air Spraying

Appropriation	\$ 1,800.00
Payments	\$ 1,798.00
Balance to Revenue	2.00
	<u>\$ 1,800.00</u>

Contributory Retirement System

Appropriation	\$ 45,780.31
Payment: Board of Retirement	<u>\$ 45,780.31</u>

Refund from Teachers' Retirement Fund

Received from Commonwealth of Massachusetts	\$ 55.58
Payment to Teacher	<u>\$ 55.58</u>

Committee on Physical Education Facilities

Balance, January 1, 1955	\$ 10.00
Balance, December 31, 1955	<u>\$ 10.00</u>

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Committee to Study Powers Available to Town (Under Chap. 41 G.L. Sec. 108A and 108C)

Appropriation	\$	100.00
Balance, December 31, 1955	\$	100.00

Committee to Study Uses of Glover and Vose Schools (Art. 33 of 1954)

Balance, January 1, 1955	\$	100.00
Balance, December 31, 1955	\$	100.00

Razing of Old Glover School

Appropriation		\$	1,200.00
Payments	\$	1,090.00	
Balance to Revenue		110.00	
			\$ 1,200.00

Vose School Committee (Art. 55 and 56 of 1955)

Appropriation		\$	3,500.00
Payments	\$	403.05	
Balance, December 31, 1955		3,096.95	
			\$ 3,500.00

Repairs — Vose School (Art. 55 and 56 of 1955)

Appropriation	\$	6,500.00
Balance, December 31, 1955	\$	6,500.00

Reimbursement to City of Boston (Medical Expenses — Injured Firefighter)

Appropriation	\$	311.10
Payments	\$	311.10

Milton Post #2178 of Veterans of Foreign Wars (Rental of Quarters)

Appropriation	\$	375.00
Payments	\$	375.00

George P. Bertram, Jr., Chapter #104, Disabled American Veterans (Rental of Quarters)

Appropriation	\$	240.00
Payments	\$	240.00

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Execution Order Land Taking — Town Dump

Expenditures from Available Funds in 1954	\$ 7,000.00
Raised in 1955 Tax Levy	\$ 7,000.00

Purchase of Land for Access to Town Dump (Randolph Avenue)

Balance, January 1, 1955	\$ 3,000.00
Balance, December 31, 1955	\$ 3,000.00

Land Taking Damages — Pine Tree Brook

Expenditures from Available Funds in 1954	\$ 8,500.00
Raised in 1955 Tax Levy	\$ 8,500.00

Taking of Land — Spruce Street

Transferred from Reserve	\$ 500.00
Payments	\$ 500.00

Purchase of Turner's Pond Area

Transferred from sale of land:	
Part of E. Milton Playground	\$ 20,000.00
Blue Hill Avenue to Dollar Lane	7,000.00
Blue Hill Avenue at Atherton Street	3,000.00
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	\$ 30,000.00
Balance, December 31, 1955	\$ 30,000.00

Hurricane "Carol" Emergency Account (Aug. 31, 1954)

Reimbursement received from State (based on expenditures from department appropriation accounts as well as from Emergency Hurricane Account)	\$ 28,027.32	
Raised by Assessors in 1955 Tax Levy	15,702.30	
	<hr/>	\$ 43,729.62
Expenditures from Available Funds in 1954	\$ 10,533.21	
Payments:		
Fire	\$ 75.00	
Cemetery	562.00	
Insurance	1,525.89	
Library	481.00	
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Total 1955 Payments	2,643.89	
	<hr/>	\$13,177.10
Balance to Revenue	30,552.52	
	<hr/>	\$ 43,729.62

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Hurricane "Edna" Emergency Account (Sept. 11, 1954)

Raised by Assessors in 1955 Tax Levy		\$ 16,843.87
Expenditures from Available Funds in 1954	\$ 12,908.90	
Payments:		
Insurance	\$ 267.20	
Other	10.35	
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Total 1955 Payments	277.55	
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	\$13,186.45	
Balance to Revenue	3,657.42	
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	\$ 16,843.87	
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FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

CEMETERIES AND ENTERPRISES

Cemetery

Appropriation	\$ 40,014.40	
Appropriation (Additional Compensation)	2,522.71	
Income from Trust Funds	342.17	
	<hr/>	\$ 42,879.28

Payments:

Superintendent	\$ 3,904.91	
Labor	29,968.52	
Clerk	1,857.98	
Printing and office supplies	105.19	
Postage	15.00	
Telephone	122.57	
Advertising	5.00	
Association expense	8.50	
Typewriter maintenance	9.75	
Painting flagpole	20.00	
Grass seed	428.00	
Plants	25.00	
Weed killer	30.58	
Fertilizer	322.50	
Tree spraying	298.00	
Hardware, tools and supplies	153.11	
Tools sharpened	21.50	
Gasoline and oil	462.09	
Motor repairs and parts	50.61	
Fuel	392.65	
Light	118.12	
Water	49.16	
Building repairs and supplies	251.27	
Equipment and repairs	1,266.12	
Cement and concrete	317.25	
Crypts	2,404.57	
Lettering and cutting steps	236.00	
All other	23.45	
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Total Payments	\$ 42,867.40	
Transferred to reinvestment Trust Funds account	6.56	
Balance to Revenue	5.32	
	<hr/>	\$ 42,879.28
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Cemetery — Overtime

Appropriation		\$ 2,000.00
Payments	\$ 1,983.66	
Balance to Revenue	16.34	
	<hr/>	\$ 2,000.00
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Cemetery — Travel out of Commonwealth

Appropriation		\$	150.00
Payments	\$	31.50	
Balance to Revenue		118.50	
		<u> </u>	\$ 150.00

Cemetery — New Equipment

Appropriation		\$	200.00
Payment: Casket carriage	\$	195.00	
Balance to Revenue		5.00	
		<u> </u>	\$ 200.00

Interest on Cemetery Perpetual Care Fund

Balance, January 1, 1955	\$	3,691.22	
Receipts		10,308.48	
		<u> </u>	\$ 13,999.70

Payments:

Superintendent	\$	1,005.36	
Labor		7,168.17	
Clerk		486.50	
Office supplies		1.50	
Telephone		21.82	
Postage		16.00	
Association dues and expenses		43.00	
Gasoline and oil		91.00	
Motor repairs and parts		260.59	
Fuel		168.80	
Water and services		30.80	
Equipment and repairs		201.01	
Lumber		44.14	
Fertilizer		322.50	
Cement and concrete		49.00	
Lettering and cutting steps		519.40	
Grass seed		82.00	
Crypts		589.37	
Gas range		221.67	
Advertising		4.60	
All other		8.66	

Total payments	\$	11,335.89	
Balance, December 31, 1955		2,663.81	
		<u> </u>	\$ 13,999.70

Cemetery — Tree Work

Appropriation		\$	3,500.00
Payments	\$	2,249.00	
Encumbered		1,251.00	
		<u> </u>	\$ 3,500.00

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Cemetery — Salary and Wage Control Account

Authorized wages Cemetery employees (base pay)	\$ 42,364.40	
(Additional Compensation)	2,522.71	
	<hr/>	\$ 44,887.11
Payments:		
Cemetery — General	\$ 35,731.41	
Cemetery — Interest Cemetery Perpetual Care	8,660.03	
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Total Payments	\$ 44,391.44	
Unexpended	495.67	
	<hr/>	\$ 44,887.11
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Cemetery — Perpetual Care Fund

Bequests	\$ 15,525.00
Added to Trust Fund	\$ 15,525.00
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INTEREST AND MATURING DEBT

Interest

Appropriation		\$ 27,350.00
Payments:		
Anticipation of Revenue Loans	\$ 2,381.76	
School Loans	18,265.00	
Sewer Loans	3,670.00	
Cemetery Perpetual Care Deficit	894.82	
Fire Station Loan	900.00	
Total Payments	\$ 26,111.58	
Balance to Revenue	1,238.42	
		<u>\$ 27,350.00</u>

Maturing Debt

Appropriation		\$ 207,500.00
Payments:		
School Loans	\$ 140,000.00	
Sewer Loans	58,500.00	
Fire Station Loan	9,000.00	
Total Payments		<u>\$ 207,500.00</u>

Temporary Loans

Borrowed	\$ 750,000.00
Notes Paid	<u>\$ 750,000.00</u>

Dog Licenses

Balance, January 1, 1955	\$ 60.80	
Licenses issued	3,861.60	
		\$ 3,922.40
Payments: To County	\$ 3,843.60	
Balance, December 31, 1955	78.80	
		<u>\$ 3,922.40</u>

Withholding Taxes

Withheld from Town Employees	\$ 225,782.85
Paid to Federal Government	<u>\$ 225,782.85</u>

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Tailings Account

Balance, January 1, 1955	\$	492.41	
Outstanding checks		43.70	
		<hr/>	\$ 536.11
Balance, December 31, 1955			<hr/> <hr/> \$ 536.11

Premium on Bonds

Balance, January 1, 1955			\$ 1,595.55
Payments: Preparation and Authentication of Bonds	\$	29.25	
Balance, December 31, 1955		1,566.30	
		<hr/>	\$ 1,595.55
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TRUST AND INVESTMENT FUNDS

Oakland Hall Fund

(Income Account)

Balance, January 1, 1955	\$	297.04	
Interest received		328.00	
		<hr/>	\$ 625.04
Payments: Books	\$	557.78	
Transferred to Reinvestment Trust Funds Account		43.53	
Balance, December 31, 1955		23.73	
		<hr/>	\$ 625.04
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Tuell & Hallowell Citizenship Fund

(Income Account)

Income received			\$ 45.00
Payments:			
Citizenship prizes	\$	40.00	
To Trust Fund		5.00	
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Total Payments			\$ 45.00
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Mary L. Peabody Fund

(Income Account)

Income received	\$	125.00	
Withdrawal from Trust Fund		19.21	
		<hr/>	\$ 144.21
Payments: For charity	\$	142.34	
Transferred to Reinvestment Trust Funds Account		1.87	
		<hr/>	\$ 144.21
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Gov. Stoughton Trust Fund

(Income Account)

Received from rent of town farm	\$	500.00	
Withdrawal from Trust Fund		211.70	
		<hr/>	\$ 711.70
Payments:			
For charity	\$	586.70	
To Trust Fund		125.00	
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Total Payments			\$ 711.70
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E. T. L. Reed Fund

(Income Account)

Income received		\$	225.00
Payment: To Trust Fund	\$	214.11	
Transferred to Reinvestment Trust Funds Account		10.89	
		<u>\$</u>	<u>225.00</u>

Reinvestment Trust Funds

Matured "G" Bonds	\$	55,000.00
Payments: Purchase U. S. Treasury Bonds	\$	55,000.00

Interest and Premium on Reinvestment of Trust Funds

Interest received on new purchase	\$	600.00	
Withdrawals from Trust Funds for Premium Cost on new purchases		10.89	
Transferred from Income Accounts		62.85	
	\$	<u>673.74</u>	
Awaiting interest due on new purchase		89.51	
		<u>\$</u>	<u>763.25</u>
Payment: Accrued Interest and Premium	\$	731.75	
Transferred to Income Account		31.50	
		<u>\$</u>	<u>763.25</u>

Refunds

Charged to Estimated Receipts		\$	69.98
Payments:			
Non-alcoholic beverage license	\$	10.00	
Interest added to taxes		4.68	
Municipal liens		4.00	
Forestry added to taxes		15.00	
Sewer added to taxes		23.57	
Committed interest		12.73	
Total Payments		\$	69.98

Tax Refunds

1954 Real Estate Taxes	\$	390.53	
1955 Real Estate Taxes		7,289.70	
1954 Poll Taxes		2.00	
1955 Poll Taxes		28.00	
1954 Motor Excise		1,592.17	
1955 Motor Excise		6,365.56	
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Total Payments	\$		15,667.96
Taxes abated after payment was made	\$		15,667.96

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Deposits for Deeds, Recording, etc. — Tax Possessions

Balance, January 1, 1955	\$	11.00
Transferred to Excess and Deficiency	\$	11.00

Agency

Appropriation State Taxes	\$	187,857.64
Appropriation County Taxes		132,645.13
Underestimated in 1955, to be raised in 1956		10,738.61
Overestimated in 1954		34,196.67
		<u>34,196.67</u>
	\$	365,438.05

Payments:

Metropolitan Park Tax	\$	38,280.59
Auditing Municipal Accounts		2,735.65
South Metropolitan Sewer Tax		46,170.48
Abatement Smoke Nuisance		571.83
Boston Metropolitan District Expenses		67.21
Metropolitan Transit Authority Deficit		50,520.60
Boston Arena Authority		786.04
Metropolitan Transit Authority Principal Payment		6,217.95
County Tax		87,317.65
County Tuberculosis Hospital Assessment		48,258.31
		<u>48,258.31</u>
Total Payments	\$	280,926.31
Water Assessment paid by Water Department		44,315.36
Underestimated in 1954, raised in 1955 .....		.01
Overestimated in 1955, applicable to 1956		5,999.70
Transferred to Revenue		34,196.67
		<u>34,196.67</u>
	\$	365,438.05

General Cash Account

Balance, January 1, 1955	\$	582,026.06
Receipts		4,938,661.44
Transfer from Water Cash		12.88
		<u>12.88</u>
	\$5,520,700.38	
Payments	\$4,852,802.78	
Balance, December 31, 1955	667,897.60	
	<u>667,897.60</u>	
	\$5,520,700.38	

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Water Cash Account

Balance, January 1, 1955 \$ 133,891.68

Receipts:

Water Rates	\$ 152,056.28	
Services	10,670.34	
Hydrant Rental	28,875.00	
Guarantee Deposits	4,970.00	
Consumers' Guarantee Deposit Fund	1,236.15	
Liens added 1954 Tax Bills	65.00	
Liens added 1955 Tax Bills	1,002.68	
Miscellaneous — Jobbing	3,344.00	
Revenue Consumers' Guarantee	548.49	
Mains in Private Ways	14,346.85	
Insurance Payments under Workingmen's Compensation	222.54	
Uncashed checks (to Tailings Account)	6.04	
Refunds (Maintenance Account)	23.52	217,366.89
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		\$ 351,258.57

Payments:

Maintenance	\$ 154,310.12	
Overtime	6,657.72	
New Equipment	2,992.84	
Superintendent's Car	1,990.00	
Travel out of Commonwealth	250.00	
Mains Extension	27,864.86	
Mains in Private Ways	11,082.40	
Return unexpended balance Mains in Private Ways ...	3,158.24	
Consumers' Guarantee Deposit Fund	1,236.15	
Refund — Guarantee Deposits	106.43	
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Total Payments	\$ 209,648.76	
Transferred to General Cash Account (adjustment)	12.88	
Balance, December 31, 1955	141,596.93	
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		\$ 351,258.57

Water Tailings Account

Balance, January 1, 1955	\$.45	
Uncashed checks	6.04	
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		\$ 6.49
Balance, December 31, 1955		\$ 6.49
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Water Maintenance Account

Appropriation	\$ 106,415.97	
Appropriation — Additional Compensation	4,797.98	
Transferred from Water Surplus Account	102,980.66	
Refunds	23.52	
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		\$ 214,218.13

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Payments:

Cost of Water	\$ 44,315.36	
Bond Retirement	11,000.00	
Interest on Bonds	631.51	
Materials and Supplies	32,003.50	
Salaries and Wages (inc. Temporary Help)	66,359.75	
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Total Payments	\$ 154,310.12	
Balance to Water Receipts Reserve	59,908.01	
	<hr/>	\$ 214,218.13
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Water — Salaries and Wages (Control Account)

Authorized at Town Meeting		\$ 71,207.80
Payments	\$ 66,146.92	
Unexpended	5,060.88	
	<hr/>	\$ 71,207.80
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Water — Temporary Help (Control Account)

Authorized at Town Meeting		\$ 6,601.32
Payments	\$ 4,750.89	
Unexpended	1,850.43	
	<hr/>	\$ 6,601.32
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Water — Additional Compensation (Control Account)

Authorized at Town Meeting		\$ 4,797.98
Payments	\$ 4,025.03	
Unexpended	772.95	
	<hr/>	\$ 4,797.98
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Water — Overtime

Appropriation	\$ 3,500.00	
Transferred from Reserve	3,250.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 6,750.00
Payments	\$ 6,657.72	
Balance to Water Receipts Reserve	92.28	
	<hr/>	\$ 6,750.00
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Water — Travel out of Commonwealth

Appropriation	\$ 250.00
Payments	\$ 250.00
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Water — New Equipment

Appropriation		\$ 3,007.50
Payments:		
Pipe locator	\$ 188.20	
Leak survey instrument	429.64	
Dodge 1½ ton chassis	2,375.00	
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Total Payments	\$ 2,992.84	
Balance to Water Receipts Reserve	14.66	
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		<u>\$ 3,007.50</u>

Water — Superintendent's Car

Appropriation		\$ 2,000.00
Payments:		
Chrysler Sedan	\$ 1,975.00	
Lettering	15.00	
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Total Payments	\$ 1,990.00	
Balance to Water Receipts Reserve	10.00	
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		<u>\$ 2,000.00</u>

Water Mains Extensions

Appropriation		\$ 35,000.00
Payments:		
Salaries and Wages	\$ 6,415.91	
Materials and Supplies	16,137.77	
Trench Work	5,311.18	
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Total Payments	\$ 27,864.86	
Balance to Water Receipts Reserve	7,135.14	
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		<u>\$ 35,000.00</u>

Mains in Private Ways — Deposit Account

Deposits		\$ 14,346.85
Payments:		
Labor	\$ 2,147.18	
Materials	8,702.11	
Use of equipment	82.50	
Overtime	23.71	
Other	233.11	
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Total Payments	\$ 11,188.61	
Returned to Depositors	3,158.24	
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		<u>\$ 14,346.85</u>

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Account for Mains in Private Ways

Balance, January 1, 1955	\$ 40,694.82	
Transferred from Excess and Deficiency	9,305.18	
	<hr/>	\$ 50,000.00
Transferred to Excess and Deficiency (amount actually paid by Depositors)	\$ 11,188.61	
Balance, December 31, 1955	38,811.39	
	<hr/>	\$ 50,000.00
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Committee to Study Need for New Water Department Building

Balance, January 1, 1955	\$ 1,000.00
Balance, December 31, 1955	\$ 1,000.00
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Water Receipts Reserve

Receipts	\$ 201,698.11	
Balance from Maintenance	59,908.01	
Balance from Overtime	92.28	
Balance from New Equipment	14.66	
Balance from New Superintendent's Car	10.00	
Balance from Mains Extension	7,135.14	
	<hr/>	\$ 268,858.20
Appropriations	\$ 154,971.45	
Transfer to Reserve for Petty Cash Advance	25.00	
Transfer to Reserve Fund	3,250.00	
Transfer to Water Surplus	110,611.75	
	<hr/>	\$ 268,858.20
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Water Surplus Account

Balance, January 1, 1955	\$ 102,980.66	
Transferred from Water Receipts Reserve	110,611.75	
Transferred from Excess and Deficiency	21.57	
	<hr/>	\$ 213,613.98
Transferred to Water Maintenance	\$ 102,980.66	
Transferred to Excess and Deficiency	455.00	
Transferred to Estimated Receipts	12.88	
	<hr/>	\$ 103,448.54
Balance, December 31, 1955	110,165.44	
	<hr/>	\$ 213,613.98
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SUMMARY OF

EXPENDITURES

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Balances:

Departmental	\$ 462,860.43	
Encumbered	21,791.38	
Water — Mains in Private Ways Account	40,694.82	
Water Service Deposits	369.00	
Committee to Study Need for New Water Department Building	1,000.00	
Water Tailings Account .....	.45	
Water Surplus Account	102,980.66	
Dog Licenses	60.80	
Premium on Bonds	1,595.55	
Deposits for Deeds, etc., Tax Possessions	11.00	
Assigned Tax Title Redeemed	4.00	
Deposits to Guarantee Completion of Streets	500.00	
Overlay of 1953	602.00	
Overlay Reserve	10,854.51	
General Tailings Account	492.41	
Sale of Land	32,227.00	
Reserve for Liquidated Damages	1,392.00	
Metropolitan Park Tax	567.02	
South Metropolitan Sewer Tax	4,281.55	
Abatement Smoke Nuisance Tax	84.96	
Gypsy and Brown-tail Moth Tax	8,359.82	
Metropolitan Transit Authority Deficiency	8.34	
County Tax	12,281.92	
County Tuberculosis Hospital Assessment	8,613.06	
		\$ 711,632.68

Appropriations:

General Departments	\$3,127,022.29	
Water Department	154,971.45	
State Assessments	187,857.64	
County Tax	79,672.00	
County Tuberculosis Hospital Assessment	52,973.13	
Overlay of 1954 and 1955	47,670.77	
		3,650,167.28

Transfers:

Departmental Accounts from Reserve Fund	\$ 29,685.65	
Water Mains in Private Ways from Excess and Deficiency	9,305.18	
Chapter 90 from Excess and Deficiency	27,000.00	
Overlay Reserve from Reserve and 1953 Overlay	4,320.35	
Water Surplus from Water Receipts Reserve and Excess and Deficiency	110,633.32	
Old Age Assistance from Recoveries	3,393.63	
Water Maintenance from Surplus	102,980.66	
Reserve from Overlay Reserve and Water Receipts Reserve	14,104.51	
Purchase Turner's Pond Area from Sale of Land Accounts	30,000.00	
Reinvestment Trust Funds from Income Accounts	62.85	
Overlay of 1953 from Taxes (Reassessment)	154.00	
Income Account from Reinvestment Trust Funds Account	31.50	
		331,671.65

Receipts:

General Departments:

Co-operative Tree Planting Program	\$ 100.00	
Reserve for Liquidated Damages	865.20	
U. S. Grant, Old Age Assistance, Aid to Dependent Children, and Disability Assistance	93,922.16	
Old Age Assistance Recoveries	7,732.99	
George Barden-Smith-Hughes Fund	200.00	
School Lunch Fund	85,205.11	
School Athletic Fund	7,141.12	
Cemetery Perpetual Care Bequests	15,525.00	
Income from Trust Funds	13,218.77	
Withdrawals from Trust Funds	55,703.80	
Departmental Refunds	16,405.71	
Teachers' Retirement System	55.58	
Hurricane Reimbursement from State	28,027.32	
Tailings Account	43.70	
Withholding Taxes	225,782.85	
Dog Licenses	3,861.60	
Governor Stoughton Fund	500.00	
Deposits to Guarantee Completion of Street Work	3,000.00	
Sale of Land — Old Glover School Site	5,310.00	
Sale of Land — Blue Hill Avenue (opposite Concord Avenue)	10,000.00	
Proceeds from Cemetery Burial Rights	3,223.00	
Chapter 90 — State and County	8,944.04	
		584,767.95

SUMMARY OF

Water Department:			
Tailings Account	\$	6.04	
Deposits for Mains in Private Ways		14,346.85	
Consumers' Guarantee Deposits Fund		1,236.15	
Guarantee Deposits		4,970.00	
Refunds		23.52	
Water Receipts Reserve		222.54	
			20,805.10
Bond Issues and Loans:			
Sewer Construction	\$	70,000.00	
Loan in Anticipation of Revenue		750,000.00	
			820,000.00
State Assessments Underestimated in 1955 to be raised in 1956:			
Metropolitan Park Tax	\$	2,186.32	
Metropolitan Transit Authority Deficiency		120.60	
Boston Arena Authority		786.04	
			3,092.96
County Tax Underestimated in 1955 to be raised in 1956			7,645.65
State and County Aid to Highways (Awaiting Reimbursement)			18,055.96
Accrued Interest on Reinvestment Trust Funds			89.51
Overlay of 1954 to be raised in 1956			376.00
			<u>\$6,148,304.74</u>

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Expenditures:

General Departments	\$3,487,765.61	
Water Department	209,648.76	
State Assessments	145,350.35	
County Tax	87,317.65	
County Tuberculosis Hospital Assessment	48,258.31	
Dog Licenses to County	3,843.60	
Withholding Taxes	225,782.85	
Deposits to Guarantee Completion of Street Work	2,000.00	
Loans in Anticipation of Revenue	750,000.00	
Premium on Bonds	29.25	
School Lunch Program	80,053.20	
School Athletic Fund	6,664.02	
		\$5,046,713.60
Refunds:		
Real Estate Taxes	\$	7,680.23
Poll Taxes		30.00
Motor Excise		7,957.73
Estimated Receipts		69.98
		15,737.94

Transfers:

Reserve Fund to Departmental Accounts and Overlay Reserve ..	\$	33,250.00	
Recoveries — Old Age Assistance		8,133.44	
Income Accounts to Reinvestment Trust Funds		62.85	
Assigned Tax Title Redeemed to Excess and Deficiency		4.00	
Deposits for Deeds, etc., Tax Possessions to Excess and Def. ...		11.00	
Metropolitan Park Tax to Revenue		567.02	
South Metropolitan Sewer Tax to Revenue		4,281.55	
Abatement Smoke Nuisance Tax to Revenue		84.96	
Gypsy and Browntail Moth Tax to Revenue		8,359.82	
Metropolitan Transit Authority Deficit to Revenue		8.34	
Metropolitan Water Sinking Fund to Revenue		44,315.36	
County Tax to Revenue		12,281.92	
County Tuberculosis Hospital Assessment to Revenue		8,613.06	
Overlay of 1953 to Overlay Reserve		756.00	
Overlay of 1954 to Poll and Real Estate Taxes		378.00	
Overlay of 1955 to Taxes (abated)		38,388.30	
Overlay Reserve to Reserve Fund		10,854.51	
Sale of Land to Purchase Turner's Pond Area		30,000.00	
State and County Aid to Highway Revenue to Excess and Def. ...		8,944.04	
Guarantee Deposits (Water)		4,807.57	
Water — Interdepartmental		114,859.69	
Departmental Balances to Revenue		90,192.72	
Water Balances to Water Receipts Reserve		67,266.30	
Reinvestment Trust Funds to Income Account		31.50	
			486,451.95
Departmental Balances Carried Forward	\$	334,012.82	
Reserve for Liuidated Damages		2,257.20	
South Metropolitan Sewer Tax		1,280.02	
Abatement Smoke Nuisance Tax		4.86	

EXPENDITURES

County Tuberculosis Hospital Assessment	4,714.82	
General Tailings Account	536.11	
Dog Licenses	78.80	
Premium on Bonds	1,566.30	
Deposits to Guarantee Completion of Street Work	1,500.00	
Overlay of 1955	8,790.23	
Overlay Reserve	4,320.35	
Sale of Land — Part East Milton Playground	1,027.00	
Sale of Land — Milton Village (off Adams Street)	500.00	
Sale of Land — Brook Road at Barnard Avenue	700.00	
Sale of Land — Old Glover School Site	5,310.00	
Sale of Land — Blue Hill Avenue (opposite Concord Avenue)	10,000.00	
Proceeds from Cemetery Burial Rights	3,223.00	
Water Balances Carried Forward	150,408.32	
		530,229.83
Encumbered:		
Assessors	\$ 8.00	
Wire	179.10	
Schools — General	4,947.00	
Insurance	1,100.00	
Cemetery — Tree Work	1,251.00	
		7,485.10
State Assessments Underestimated in 1954:		
Boston Metropolitan District Expense .....		.01
Spent from Available Funds in 1954 (Raised in 1955):		
Overlay of 1954	\$ 490.24	
Execution Order — Purchase of Land for Town Dump	7,000.00	
Land Taking Damages — Pine Tree Brook	8,500.00	
Hurricane "Carol" Emergency Account	10,533.21	
Hurricane "Edna" Emergency Account	12,908.00	
Special Account — Police Private Work	4,198.00	
		43,630.35
State and County Aid to Highway Revenue		18,055.96
		<u>\$6,148,304.74</u>

BALANCE SHEET

ASSETS

CASH:

In Banks and Offices:

General	\$ 667,897.60	
Water	141,596.93	
Water, Petty Cash	25.00	
School Lunch, Petty Cash	199.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 809,718.53

Consumers' Savings Bank Deposits		4,694.66
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ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE:

1954 Real Estate Taxes	\$ 961.42	
1955 Real Estate Taxes	30,727.33	
	<hr/>	31,688.75
1954 Personal Taxes	\$ 284.35	
1955 Personal Taxes	1,245.02	
	<hr/>	1,529.37
1955 Poll Taxes		2.00
1954 Motor Excise	\$ 1,463.30	
1955 Motor Excise	33,566.04	
	<hr/>	35,029.34

SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS:

Sidewalk added 1955 Taxes	\$ 16.82	
Unapportioned Sewer 1955	10,970.41	
Sewer added 1954 Taxes	64.64	
Sewer added 1955 Taxes	328.42	
Unapportioned Street Betterment Assessments 1955	20,175.67	
Street Betterment Assessments added 1954 Taxes	341.15	
Street Betterment Assessments added 1955 Taxes	746.75	
1954 Committed Interest	110.28	
1955 Committed Interest	361.14	
Forestry Accounts Receivable added 1955 Taxes	3.00	
	<hr/>	33,118.28

DEPARTMENTAL:

Aid Dependent Children	\$ 2,221.59	
Cemetery	11,168.52	
Forestry	424.00	
Health	80.50	
Highway — Private Work	4,805.17	
Old Age Assistance	33.20	
Police	21,770.00	
Public Welfare	351.10	
School	803.90	
Sewer	1,379.60	
	<hr/>	43,037.58

WATER:

Rates	\$ 13,943.62	
Service	7,464.25	
Miscellaneous — Jobbing	4,552.78	
Liens added 1954 Taxes	104.50	
Liens added 1955 Taxes	208.20	
	<hr/>	26,273.35

TAX TITLES	3,512.02
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TAX POSSESSIONS	1,945.14
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OVERLAY OF 1954	376.00
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STATE TAXES UNDERESTIMATED in 1955 to be raised in 1956:

Metropolitan Park Tax	\$ 2,186.32	
Metropolitan Transit Deficiency	120.60	
Boston Arena Authority	786.04	
	<hr/>	3,092.96

COUNTY TAX UNDERESTIMATED in 1955	7,645.65
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1956 REVENUE	50,000.00
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STATE AND COUNTY AID to Highways	18,055.96
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REINVESTMENT OF TRUST FUNDS (Accumulated interest paid — to be received in February 1956)

89.51

\$1,069,809.10

DECEMBER 31, 1955

LIABILITIES

Consumers' Guarantee Deposit Fund	\$	4,694.66	
Reserve for Water Petty Cash Advance		25.00	
Reserve for School Lunch Petty Cash Advance		199.00	
Tailings Account		536.11	
Deposits to Guarantee Completion of Street Work		1,500.00	
Overlay of 1955		8,790.23	
Overlay Reserve		4,320.35	
State Assessments Overestimated in 1955:			
South Metropolitan Sewer Tax	\$	1,280.02	
Abatement Smoke Nuisance Tax		4.86	
			1,284.88
County Tuberculosis Hospital Assessment Overestimated in 1955 ...			4,714.82
Revenue Reserved until Collected:			
Motor Excise Tax Revenue	\$	35,029.34	
Special Assessments Tax Revenue		33,118.28	
Departmental Revenue		43,037.58	
Water Revenue		26,273.35	
Tax Title Revenue		3,512.02	
Tax Possessions Revenue		1,945.14	
			142,915.71
Excess and Deficiency			366,203.84
Premium on Bonds			1,566.30
Sale of Land:			
Part of East Milton Playground	\$	1,027.00	
Milton Village (off Adams Street)		500.00	
Brook Road at Barnard Avenue		700.00	
Old Glover School Land		5,310.00	
Blue Hill Avenue (opposite Concord Avenue)		10,000.00	
			17,537.00
Proceeds from Sale Cemetery Burial Rights			3,223.00
Dog Licenses			78.80
Water Service Deposits			425.00
State and County Aid to Highway Revenue			18,055.96
Balances Encumbered:			
Assessors	\$	8.00	
Wire		179.10	
Schools		4,947.00	
Insurance		1,100.00	
Cemetery — Tree Work		1,251.00	
			7,485.10
Departmental Balances:			
Civil Defense	\$	594.48	
Wire — Southeast Expressway		1,781.18	
Sewer Construction		82,198.72	
Sewer Assessment Refunds		1,384.88	
Reserve for Liquidated Damages — Ashes and Garbage Contract		2,257.20	
Improvement Pine Tree Brook		84,841.00	
Committee — Pine Tree Brook		1,000.00	
Bartons Lane		5,386.34	
Elmwood Avenue		585.40	
Franklin Street		8,931.45	
U. S. Grant, Old Age Assistance		14,936.76	
U. S. Grant, Old Age Assistance Administration		7,956.73	
U. S. Grant, Aid to Dependent Children		4,204.18	
U. S. Grant, Aid to Dependent Children Administration		1,153.50	
U. S. Grant, Disability Assistance		1,244.27	
U. S. Grant, Disability Assistance Administration		968.66	
Recoveries, Old Age Assistance		4,955.79	
High School — Repairs and Alterations		5,300.00	
High School Addition Construction		38,906.56	
Committee — Central High School		500.00	
School Lunch Program		12,632.98	
School Athletic Fund		2,896.67	
Library Committee		1,900.00	
N. T. Kidder Library Fund		4,258.78	
Committee — Physical Education Facilities at High School		10.00	
Committee to Study Powers Available to Town under			
Chapter 41 G.L. Sec. 108A and 108C		100.00	
Committee to Study Uses of Glover and Vose Schools		100.00	
Committee — Preserving and Maintaining Vose School		3,096.95	
Repairs — Vose School		6,500.00	
Purchase of Land for Access Roadway to Town Dump		3,000.00	
Purchase of Turner's Pond Area		30,000.00	
Interest Cemetery Perpetual Care Fund		2,663.81	
Oakland Hall Fund (Income Account)		23.73	
			336,270.02
Water:			
Surplus Account	\$	110,165.44	
Tailings Account		6.49	
Accounts for Mains in Private Ways		38,811.39	
Committee to Study Need for New Water Department Building		1,000.00	
			149,983.32
			<u>\$1,069,809.10</u>

BALANCE SHEET

ASSETS

Apportioned Assessments Not Due	\$ 81,558.52
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\$ 81,558.52

Trust and Investment Funds	\$ 490,690.14
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\$ 490,690.14

Net Funded or Fixed Debt	\$1,441,000.00
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\$1,441,000.00

DECEMBER 31, 1955

LIABILITIES

Deferred Revenue Accounts

Apportioned Sewer Assessments due in 1956	\$	2,801.17	
Apportioned Sewer Assessments due in 1957		2,524.77	
Apportioned Sewer Assessments due in 1958		2,109.89	
Apportioned Sewer Assessments due in 1959		1,907.07	
Apportioned Sewer Assessments due in 1960		1,907.01	
Apportioned Sewer Assessments due in 1961		1,906.98	
Apportioned Sewer Assessments due in 1962		1,656.98	
Apportioned Sewer Assessments due in 1963		545.90	
			\$ 15,359.77
Apportioned Street Betterment Assessments due in 1956	\$	11,047.12	
Apportioned Street Betterment Assessments due in 1957		9,854.76	
Apportioned Street Betterment Assessments due in 1958		8,902.61	
Apportioned Street Betterment Assessments due in 1959		7,541.48	
Apportioned Street Betterment Assessments due in 1960		5,584.01	
Apportioned Street Betterment Assessments due in 1961		5,062.19	
Apportioned Street Betterment Assessments due in 1962		5,041.76	
Apportioned Street Betterment Assessments due in 1963		4,498.35	
Apportioned Street Betterment Assessments due in 1964		916.85	
Apportioned Street Betterment Assessments due in 1965		686.00	
Apportioned Street Betterment Assessments due in 1966		686.00	
Apportioned Street Betterment Assessments due in 1967		686.00	
Apportioned Street Betterment Assessments due in 1968		686.00	
Apportioned Street Betterment Assessments due in 1969		686.00	
Apportioned Street Betterment Assessments due in 1970		686.00	
Apportioned Street Betterment Assessments due in 1971		686.00	
Apportioned Street Betterment Assessments due in 1972		686.00	
Apportioned Street Betterment Assessments due in 1973		686.00	
Apportioned Street Betterment Assessments due in 1974		686.00	
			65,309.13
Apportioned Sidewalk Assessments due in 1956	\$	201.65	
Apportioned Sidewalk Assessments due in 1957		196.24	
Apportioned Sidewalk Assessments due in 1958		152.86	
Apportioned Sidewalk Assessments due in 1959		117.75	
Apportioned Sidewalk Assessments due in 1960		88.14	
Apportioned Sidewalk Assessments due in 1961		47.69	
Apportioned Sidewalk Assessments due in 1962		47.69	
Apportioned Sidewalk Assessments due in 1963		31.00	
Apportioned Sidewalk Assessments due in 1964		6.60	
			889.62

\$ 81,558.52

Trust Fund Accounts

Mary L. Peabody Fund	\$	5,572.24
Tuell & Hallowell Citizenship Fund		1,926.38
E. T. L. Reed Park Fund		12,340.62
Public Library Fund		25,636.64
Herrick Cemetery Fund		8,000.00
Sarah G. Vose Cemetery Fund		1,170.63
E. G. Tucker Cemetery Fund		1,168.48
Cemetery Perpetual Care Fund		385,788.06
Charles T. Pierce Fund		1,697.27
Jason Reed Cemetery Fund		2,626.67
William B. Weston Hospital Fund		25,210.08
Oakland Hall Library Fund		12,057.79
Mary L. Peabody Cemetery Fund		1,597.32
Governor Stoughton Trust Fund		5,477.60
Milton Educational Society Gift to Town for Library Use		420.36

\$ 490,690.14

Municipal Indebtedness

Sewer Loan of 1950	\$	20,000.00
Sewer Loan of 1951		30,000.00
Sewer Loan of 1952		22,000.00
Sewer Loan of 1953		45,000.00
Sewer Loan of 1954		65,000.00
Sewer Loan of 1955		70,000.00
		\$ 252,000.00
New Elementary School Loan of 1951 — Series "A"	\$	240,000.00
New Elementary School Loan of 1951 — Series "B"		300,000.00
Glover School Loan of 1953		310,000.00
High School Addition Construction Loan of 1954		275,000.00
		1,125,000.00
Fire Station Construction Loan of 1952		51,000.00
Water Loan of 1927	\$	2,000.00
Water Loan of 1928		2,000.00
Water Loan of 1928		6,000.00
Water Loan of 1941		2,000.00
Water Loan of 1946		1,000.00
		13,000.00
		\$ 1,441,000.00

TOWN COLLECTOR'S REPORT

TAX COLLECTOR

January 1, 1955 to March 10, 1955

	Balance Uncollected Jan. 1, 1955	Committed	Refunds Adjustments and	Collected and Paid Treasurer	Adjustments and Abatements	Outstanding March 10, 1955
1954						
Real	32,156.68	.....	33.38	12,791.69	.....	19,398.37
Personal	1,187.95	.....	.....	.....	.....	586.35
Motor Vehicle Excise	41,168.15	6,478.33	1,600.62	38,765.38	3,554.45	6,998.67
Forestry	16.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	10.00
Water Liens	156.62	.....	12.88	.....	.....	169.50
Sewer Assessment	44.19	.....	.....	263.50	.....	186.69
Street Assessment	563.48	.....	43.37	135.14	21.04	450.17
Committed Interest	959.90	.....	.....	95.33	68.59	195.76
Unap. Street Assessment	13,138.88	5,371.59	.....	1,935.63	.....	16,571.84
TOTALS	88,820.25	11,849.92	1,690.25	54,209.99	3,644.08	44,506.35

TERESA SHAUGHNESSY,

Tax Collector.

DEPARTMENTAL BILLS COMMITTED TO COLLECTOR

January 1, 1955 to March 10, 1955

Cemetery	10,638.22	159.80	.....	208.80	.....	10,589.22
Forestry	191.00	782.00	28.00	680.00	.....	271.00
Police	4,320.00	2,892.00	.....	278.00	28.00	6,906.00
Public Welfare	325.25	.....	.....	.....	.....	325.25
Aid to Depend. Children	2,403.39	1,047.79	.....	.....	.....	3,451.18
Highway	1,184.06	.....	.....	290.82	.....	893.24
School	2,394.04	.....	.....	2,014.91	33.48	345.65
Health	188.00	1,082.77	.....	141.50	.....	1,129.27
Sewer — Private	2,193.20	.....	.....	1,763.60	.....	429.60
TOTALS	23,837.16	5,914.36	28.00	5,377.63	61.48	24,340.41

TERESA SHAUGHNESSY,

Tax Collector.

TOWN COLLECTOR'S REPORT

WATER

January 1, 1955 to March 10, 1955

Rates	12,817.09	34,259.81	....	22,740.68	....	24,336.22
Service	5,075.01	....	....	3,357.04	....	1,717.97
Charges	2,926.22	430.54	....	1,063.80	....	2,292.96
TOTALS	20,818.32	34,690.35	....	27,161.52	....	28,347.15

TERESA SHAUGHNESSY,
Tax Collector.

TOWN COLLECTOR'S REPORT March 10, 1955 to December 31, 1955

TOWN COLLECTOR'S REPORT

	Balance Uncollected as of 1/1/55	Recommitted	Paid not Committed	Adjust- ment and Refunds	Collected and Paid Treasurer	Apportioned	Abated	Unap- portioned	Tax Titles	Paid Direct to Treasurer	Balance as of Dec. 31, 1955
1954											
Real & Personal	19,964.72		....	403.58	18,746.48	....	376.00	....	....	....	1,245.77
Motor Vehicle Excise	6,958.67		....	31.04	4,918.93	....	607.48	....	....	....	1,463.30
Forestry	10.00		....	....	10.00	....	....	....	....	....	....
Sewer Assessment	185.69		....	23.57	144.62	....	....	....	....	....	64.64
Street Better. Assess.	450.17		....	....	109.02	....	....	....	....	....	341.16
Committed Interest	195.76		....	12.73	98.21	....	....	....	....	....	110.28
Unapp. St. Better.	13,138.88		....	....	13,138.88	13,138.88	....	....	....	....	....
TOTAL 1954	40,903.89		....	470.87	24,027.26	13,138.88	983.48	....	....	....	3,225.14
1955											
Real Estate	2,064,214.81		....	7,239.70	2,004,491.18	....	35,759.90	....	476.10	....	30,797.33
Personal	156,586.30		....	....	155,184.88	....	156.40	....	....	....	1,245.02
Polls	14,906.00		....	24.00	12,456.00	....	2,472.00	....	....	....	....
Motor Vehicle Excise	351,953.43		....	6,365.56	300,428.70	....	24,224.25	....	....	....	33,566.04
Forestry	226.00		....	15.00	238.00	....	....	....	....	....	....
Sewer Assessment	3,257.91		....	....	2,929.49	....	....	....	....	....	328.42
St. Better. Assess.	11,849.82		....	....	11,063.14	....	....	....	39.73	....	746.76
Sidewalk Assessments	238.32		....	....	221.50	....	....	....	....	....	16.82
Committed Interest	4,090.55		....	....	3,707.96	....	....	....	21.45	....	351.14
Unapp. Street Better.	28,665.15		....	....	5,249.95	8,239.58	....	....	....	....	20,175.67
Unapp. Sewer	10,970.41		....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	10,970.41
Unapp. Sidewalk	782.82		....	....	501.97	280.85	....	....	....	....	....
TOTAL 1955	2,647,641.32		....	13,644.26	2,496,472.77	3,520.38	62,612.55	....	587.28	....	98,142.60

CLYDE L. WHITTIER,
Town Collector

TOWN COLLECTOR'S REPORT

DEPARTMENTAL BILLS COMMITTED TO COLLECTOR 1955

	Balance Uncollected Jan. 1, 1955	Committed	Adjusted	Collected and Paid to Treasurer	Abated	Adjusted	Added to Taxes	Balance as of Dec. 31, 1955
Aid to Dep. Children	9,126.98	....	6,905.39	....	....	....	2,221.59
Cemetery	15,773.14	....	4,352.12	252.50	....	....	11,168.52
Disability Assistance	8,005.13	....	8,005.13	....	....	....	....
Forestry — Private	3,173.00	....	2,482.00	26.00	15.00	226.00	424.00
Health	1,976.27	....	1,895.77	....	....	....	80.50
Highway — Private	6,854.33	....	1,079.76	....	....	....	4,805.17
Old Age Assistance	89,974.20	....	86,825.30	1.00	3,114.70	....	33.20
Police	42,912.00	....	21,112.00	30.00	....	....	21,770.00
Public Welfare	2,870.07	....	2,518.97	....	....	....	351.10
School	3,792.90	....	2,795.91	193.09	....	....	803.90
Sewer	2,580.11	....	1,200.51	....	....	....	1,379.60
Thacher Building	64.20	....	64.20	....	....	....	....
Veterans' Benefits	11,899.67	....	11,899.67	....	....	....	....
TOTAL	198,032.60	....	151,136.73	502.59	3,129.70	226.00	43,037.58

CLYDE L. WHITTIER,

Town Collector

WATER BILLS COMMITTED TO COLLECTOR 1955

	Balance Uncollected Mar. 10, 1955	Committed	Adjusted	Collected and Paid to Treasurer	Abated	Adjusted	A lded to Taxes	Balance Uncollected Dec. 31, 1955
Rates	24,336.22	120,296.22	....	129,315.58	162.34	.02	1,210.88	13,943.62
Service	1,717.97	13,059.58	....	7,313.30	....	....	....	7,464.25
Miscellaneous	2,292.96	33,438.69	....	31,155.20	23.67	....	....	4,552.78
Rev. Consumer's Guarantee	....	548.49	....	548.49	....	....	....	....
Water Liens	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Added to 1954 Taxes	169.50	....	....	65.00	....	....	....	104.50
Added to 1955 Taxes	....	1,210.88	....	1,002.68	....	....	....	208.20
TOTAL	28,516.65	168,553.86	....	169,400.25	186.01	.02	1,210.88	26,273.35

CLYDE L. WHITTIER,

Town Collector

REPORT OF TOWN TREASURER

CLYDE L. WHITTIER, TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH TOWN OF MILTON

1955			
Jan. 1	Cash on hand	\$ 980,768.06	
	Receipts for the year		4,539,932.32
	Selectmen's Warrants paid	\$4,852,802.78	
Dec. 31	*Cash on hand	667,897.60	
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		\$5,520,700.38	\$5,520,700.38

*\$400,000 in Treasury 91 day bills.

CLYDE L. WHITTIER, TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH TOWN OF MILTON — WATER DEPARTMENT

1955			
Jan. 1	Cash on hand	\$133,891.68	
	Receipts for the year		217,354.01
	Water Commissioners' Warrants paid	\$209,648.76	
Dec. 31	Cash on hand	141,596.93	
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		\$351,245.69	\$351,245.69

CLYDE L. WHITTIER, TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH TOWN OF MILTON — TRUST FUNDS

Sarah G. Vose Fund

1955			
Jan. 1	Dorchester Savings Bank	\$ 170.63	
	U. S. Bonds, Series "G"	1,000.00	
	Interest	30.15	
	"G" Bond matured	1,000.00	
	Paid: Premium on Bond bought	\$.94	
	*Accrued interest	9.95	
	Bond bought	1,000.00	
	For Cemetery uses	19.26	
Dec. 31	Dorchester Savings Bank	170.63	
	Treas. 3% Bond, 1995	1,000.00	
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		\$2,200.78	\$2,200.78

*These items are recoverable in full on Feb. 15, 1956.

E. G. Tucker Fund

1955			
Jan. 1	Dorchester Savings Bank	\$ 168.48	
	U. S. Bond, Series "G"	1,000.00	
	Interest	30.09	
	"G" Bond matured	1,000.00	

REPORT OF TOWN TREASURER

Paid: for Bond bought	\$1,000.00	
for premium on bond .....	.94	
*for accrued interest	9.95	
for Cemetery uses	19.20	
Dec. 31 Dorchester Savings Bank	168.48	
Treas. 3% Bond, 1955	1,000.00	
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	\$2,198.57	\$2,198.57

Herrick Fund

1955		
Jan. 1 U. S. Bonds, Series "G" and "K"	\$ 8,000.00	
Interest	213.00	
"G" bonds matured	3,000.00	
Paid: for Bonds bought	\$ 3,000.00	
for premium on bonds	2.81	
*for accrued interest	29.83	
for Cemetery uses	180.36	
Dec. 31 U. S. Bonds, Series "K"	5,000.00	
Treas. 3% Bonds, 1995	3,000.00	
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	\$11,213.00	\$11,213.00

Jason Reed Fund

1955		
Jan. 1 Dorchester Savings Bank	\$ 626.67	
U. S. Bonds, Series "G"	2,000.00	
Interest	68.93	
"G" Bond matured	2,000.00	
Paid: for Bonds bought	\$2,000.00	
for premium on bonds	1.87	
*for accrued interest	19.89	
for Cemetery uses	47.17	
Dec. 31 Dorchester Savings Bank	626.67	
Treas. 3% Bonds, 1995	2,000.00	
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	\$4,695.60	\$4,695.60

Charles T. Pierce Fund

1955		
Jan. 1 Dorchester Savings Bank	\$1,647.48	
Interest	49.79	
Dec. 31 Dorchester Savings Bank	\$1,697.27	
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	\$1,697.27	\$1,697.27

Mary L. Peabody Cemetery Care Fund

1955		
Jan. 1 Dorchester Savings Bank	\$1,550.47	
Interest	46.85	
Dec. 31 Dorchester Savings Bank	\$1,597.32	
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	\$1,597.32	\$1,597.32

REPORT OF TOWN TREASURER

Cemetery Perpetual Care Fund

1955			
Jan. 1	Dorchester Savings Bank	\$ 14,602.06	
	Milton Savings Bank	661.00	
	U. S. Bonds, Series "G"	305,000.00	
	U. S. Bonds, 2½'s, 1968/'63	29,273.75	
	U. S. Bonds, 3¼'s, 1983/'78	20,000.00	
	Deposits to Fund	15,525.00	
	Interest	10,308.48	
	Paid: for Cemetery uses	\$ 10,308.48	
Dec. 31	Dorchester Savings Bank	14,602.06	
	Milton Savings Bank	661.00	
	Ware Savings Bank	15,900.00	
	U. S. Bonds, Series "G"	215,000.00	
	U. S. Bonds, 2½'s, 1968/'63	29,273.75	
	U. S. Bonds, 3¼'s, 1983/'78	20,000.00	
	U. S. Bonds, 3's, 1995	39,625.00	
	U. S. Bonds, Series "K"	50,000.00	
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		\$395,370.29	\$395,370.29

Elizabeth T. L. Reed Fund

1955			
Jan. 1	Dorchester Savings Bank	\$ 3,035.63	
	U. S. Bonds, Series "G"	1,000.00	
	U. S. Bonds, 2½'s, 1968/'63	8,000.00	
	Interest	315.88	
	"G" Bond matured	1,000.00	
	Paid: for Bond bought	\$1,000.00	
	for premium on bond .....	.94	
	*for accrued interest	9.95	
Dec. 31	Dorchester Savings Bank	3,340.62	
	Treas. 3% Bond, 1995	1,000.00	
	U. S. Bonds, 2½'s, 1968/'63	8,000.00	
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		\$13,351.51	\$13,351.51

Tuell-Hallowell Citizenship Prize Fund

1955			
Jan. 1	Dorchester Savings Bank		
	Account of principal	\$ 65.46	
	Account of interest	62.98	
	U. S. Bonds, Series "G"	1,800.00	
	Interest	48.83	
	"G" bond matured	1,000.00	
	Paid: for Bond bought	\$1,000.00	
	for premium on bond .....	.94	
	*for accrued interest	9.95	
	for prizes, u/w	40.00	
Dec. 31	Dorchester Savings Bank		
	Account of principal	65.46	
	Account of interest	60.92	
	Treas. 3% Bond, 1995	1,000.00	
	U. S. Bonds, Series "G"	800.00	
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		\$2,977.27	\$2,977.27

REPORT OF TOWN TREASURER

Mary L. Peabody (Poor) Fund

1955			
Jan. 1	Dorchester Savings Bank	\$ 574.11	
	U. S. Bonds, Series "G"	5,000.00	
	Interest	142.34	
	"G" bonds matured	2,000.00	
	Paid: for distribution u/w	\$ 142.34	
	for bonds bought	2,000.00	
	for premium on bonds	1.87	
Dec. 31	Dorchester Savings Bank	572.24	
	U. S. Bonds, Series "G"	3,000.00	
	Treas. 3% Bonds, 1995	2,000.00	
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		\$7,716.45	\$7,716.45

Oakland Hall Fund

1955			
Jan. 1	Boston Five Cents Savings Bank	\$ 3,000.00	
	Dorchester Savings Bank	56.11	
	U. S. Bonds, Series "G" and "K"	9,000.00	
	Balance in general cash	297.04	
	Interest	329.68	
	"G" bonds matured	4,000.00	
	Paid: for bonds bought	\$ 4,000.00	
	for premium on bonds	3.75	
	*for accrued interest	39.78	
	for Library purposes, u/w	557.78	
Dec. 31	Boston Five Cents Savings Bank	3,000.00	
	Dorchester Savings Bank	57.79	
	U. S. Bonds, Series "K"	5,000.00	
	Treas. 3% Bonds, 1995	4,000.00	
	Balance in general cash	23.73	
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		\$16,682.83	\$16,682.83

Nathaniel T. Kidder Fund

1955			
Jan. 1	Balance in general funds	\$4,542.24	
	Received from Trustee	1,272.62	
	Paid: for Library uses	\$1,556.08	
Dec. 31	Balance in general funds	4,258.78	
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		\$5,814.86	\$5,814.86

William B. Weston Bequest

The \$15,000 Poor Fund left with Francis C. Welch, Trustee, is held in the Weston Estate, the Boston Safe Deposit & Trust Company now being Trustee. Copy of the will is in the custody of the Town Treasurer.

The \$6,000 Hospital Fund is now represented by Certificate Number 602 of the Massachusetts Life Fund. For 1955, income added to principal was \$1000.29 and capital gains \$391.77. The total of these amounts has been converted into units of the Fund, the December balance of which is 870.15 shares, net liquidating value of units being \$38.25 each, with a total value of \$33,283.50.

REPORT OF TOWN TREASURER

Governor Stoughton Trust Fund

1955		
Jan. 1	Balance in general funds	\$5,399.87
	Receipts and interest earned	664.43
	Paid: Selectmen's Warrants	\$ 586.70
Dec. 31	Dorchester Savings Bank	5,477.60
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		\$6,064.30 \$6,064.30

Milton Education Society Gift

1955		
Jan. 1	Dorchester Savings Bank	\$863.69
	Interest earned and refund (\$4.00)	22.67
	Paid: for purposes of gift	\$466.00
Dec. 31	Dorchester Savings Bank	420.36
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		\$886.36 \$886.36

REPORT OF TOWN TREASURER

FUNDS HELD BY THE TOWN

Perpetual Care Fund

Amount held December 31, 1955 \$385,061.81

This Fund is held by the Town Treasurer in accordance with Chapter 82, Section 15-18, of the Public statutes.

Mary L. Peabody Fund

Amount held December 31, 1955 \$5,572.24

The clause under which this bequest is given is as follows: "To the Selectmen of the Town of Milton, Massachusetts, \$5,000 to be invested and the income thereof to be distributed annually to the poor at Christmas."

E. T. L. Reed Park Fund

Amount held December 31, 1955 \$12,340.62

EXTRACT FROM THE WILL OF ELIZABETH T. L. REED

"All the rest, residue and remainder of all the moneys remaining in the hands of said Executor or Administrator, I direct shall be divided into three equal parts

"The second of said parts shall be paid and deposited with the Treasurer for the time being of said Town of Milton, the same to be received, held and invested by said town as a fund to be known as the 'Jason Reed Fund,' and the income thereof shall be applied to the preservation, care, improvement, or embellishment of the said Milton Cemetery.

"And the third of said parts shall be paid to said Town of Milton and the same shall be applied by the proper legal authorities to or towards laying out, improvement or ornamentation of a Public Park or Parks in said town, in such manner as said authorities may deem advisable.

"I make the foregoing bequest in favor of....., the Cemetery and the Parks in said Milton, both on account of the deep interest taken by my father, the late Jason Reed, deceased, in the affairs of said town, and of my own profound desire for the welfare of said town and of the citizens thereof."

Jason Reed Fund

Amount held December 31, 1955 \$2,626.67

Sarah G. Vose Fund

Amount held December 31, 1955 \$1,170.63

E. G. Tucker Fund

Amount held December 31, 1955 \$1,168.48

Herrick Fund

Amount held December 31, 1955 \$8,000.00

Charles T. Pierce Fund

Amount held December 31, 1955 \$1,697.27

Charles T. Pierce, late of Brooklyn, N. Y., and Greenwich, Conn., bequeathed to the Milton Cemetery the sum of \$1,000.00, "the income to be used for the care of my family lot."

Mary L. Peabody Cemetery Care Fund

Amount held December 31, 1955 \$1,597.32

REPORT OF TOWN TREASURER

Oakland Hall Fund

Amount held December 31, 1955 \$12,081.52
The income from this Fund is paid out under the direction of the Trustees
of the Public Library for purposes of the Mattapan Branch Library.

Tuell-Hallowell Good Citizenship Prize Fund

Amount held December 31, 1955 \$1,926.38

EXCERPT FROM SCHOOL COMMITTEE RECORDS—SEPTEMBER 10, 1923

The Chairman presented to the Committee the following correspondence:

"To the School Committee of the Town of Milton:

"The Tuell Alumni Association herewith presents, through your Board, to the Town of Milton, the sum of one Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) to be held as a fund in perpetuity, and the income thereof to be paid to the School Department and to be used to provide two prizes, one prize to be known as the Hiram Tuell Good Citizenship Prize and to be awarded to the boy in the Senior Class of the Milton High School, who, in the opinion of the faculty of said High School, has shown in the highest degree, those qualities that make for good citizenship; the other prize to be known as the Henrietta T. Hallowell Good Citizenship Prize, and to be given to the girl in the Senior Class of the Milton High School, who, in the opinion of the above said faculty has shown similar qualities.

"The prizes are to be awarded each year at the graduation exercises. If such exercises are omitted for any year, the prizes are to be awarded on some other occasion, near the close of the school year."

PERCY E. SHELDON,

President, Tuell Alumni Association

June 22, 1923.

For additional gifts to the fund, see report of 1947.

Nathaniel T. Kidder Fund

The following is an extract from the will of Nathaniel Thayer Kidder.
Eighteenth:

"I give and bequeath to the State Street Trust Company . . . the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000), in Trust . . . the income only of which shall be paid at such times as the Trustees may from time to time determine, to said Town of Milton for the uses of the Milton Public Library system as the Trustees thereof for the time being may in their absolute discretion determine."

Gov. Stoughton Trust Fund

The Governor Stoughton Fund is derived from receipts of the rental of the Town Farm, and is spent only at the direction of the Selectmen for purposes specified in Governor Stoughton's Will.

Milton Education Society Gift

The Milton Education Society Gift was received September 24th, 1952, "for the use of the public library of that town, such sum to be available to the Trustees of the library, both principal and income, for the purpose of adding to educational material maintained by the library with particular reference to the purchase and maintenance of a collection of phonograph records, tape recordings, and the like, of the performance of musical compositions and allied subjects."

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TREASURER'S REPORT OF TOWN BONDS

All Bonds a/o Notes outstanding are in denomination of \$1,000 and are unregistered unless otherwise designated. Interest on all issues is payable semi-annually, and all maturities and coupon interest are payable at the First National Bank of Boston, Massachusetts, unless otherwise noted.

All authorized but unissued balances have been rescinded by vote of the Town.

Bonds and Notes Authorized and Outstanding on December 31, 1955

Water Loan of 1927

\$100,000 authorized, \$85,000 issued. Dated June 1, 1926

Rate: 4%

Number	Denomination	Due	Amount	Remarks
84 and 85	\$1,000	June 1, 1956	\$2,000	Outstanding

\$2,000 outstanding December 31, 1955. Nos. 1 to 83 inclusive, \$83,000 paid.

Water Loan of 1928

\$95,000 authorized, \$70,000 issued. Dated February 1, 1928

Rate: 3¾%

Number	Denomination	Due	Amount	Remarks
69	\$1,000	Feb. 1, 1956	\$1,000	Outstanding
70	1,000	Feb. 1, 1957	1,000	Outstanding

\$2,000 outstanding December 31, 1955. Nos. 1 to 68 inclusive, \$68,000 paid. Nos. 69 and 70, registered.

Water Loan of 1928

\$95,000 authorized and issued. Dated December 1, 1928

Rate: 4%

Number	Denomination	Due	Amount	Remarks
90 to 92	\$1,000	Dec. 1, 1956	\$3,000	Outstanding
93 to 95	1,000	Dec. 1, 1957	3,000	Outstanding

\$6,000 outstanding December 31, 1955. Nos. 1 to 89 inclusive, \$89,000 paid.

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Water Loan of 1941

\$30,000 authorized and issued. Dated April 1, 1941.

Rate: $1\frac{1}{4}\%$

Number	Denomination	Due	Amount	Remarks
29 and 30	\$1,000	April 1, 1956	\$2,000	Outstanding

\$2,000 outstanding December 31, 1955. Nos. 1 to 28 inclusive, \$28,000 paid. Payable at The Merchants National Bank of Boston, Mass.

Water Main Construction Loan of 1946

\$15,000 authorized and issued. Dated March 1, 1946

Rate: .60%

Number	Denomination	Due	Amount	Remarks
15	\$1,000	March 1, 1956	\$1,000	Outstanding

\$1,000 outstanding December 31, 1955. Nos. 1 to 14 inclusive, \$14,000 paid.

Elementary School Construction

Loan, 1950—Series "A"

\$400,000 authorized and issued. Dated Feb. 1, 1951

Rate: 1.20%

Number	Denomination	Due	Amount	Remarks
161 to 200	\$1,000	Feb. 1, 1956	\$40,000	Outstanding
201 to 240	1,000	Feb. 1, 1957	40,000	Outstanding
241 to 280	1,000	Feb. 1, 1958	40,000	Outstanding
281 to 320	1,000	Feb. 1, 1959	40,000	Outstanding
321 to 360	1,000	Feb. 1, 1960	40,000	Outstanding
361 to 400	1,000	Feb. 1, 1961	40,000	Outstanding

\$240,000 outstanding December 31, 1955. Nos. 1 to 160 inclusive, \$160,000 paid.

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Elementary School Construction

Loan, 1950—Series "B"

\$500,000 authorized and issued. Dated Sept. 1, 1951

Rate: 1.40%

Number	Denomination	Due	Amount	Remarks
201 to 250	\$1,000	Sept. 1, 1956	\$50,000	Outstanding
251 to 300	1,000	Sept. 1, 1957	50,000	Outstanding
301 to 350	1,000	Sept. 1, 1958	50,000	Outstanding
351 to 400	1,000	Sept. 1, 1959	50,000	Outstanding
401 to 451	1,000	Sept. 1, 1960	50,000	Outstanding
451 to 500	1,000	Sept. 1, 1961	50,000	Outstanding

\$300,000 outstanding December 31, 1955. Nos. 1 to 200 inclusive, \$200,000 paid.

Glover School Construction Loan of 1952

\$370,000 authorized and issued. Dated February 1, 1953

Rate: 1.70%

Number	Denomination	Due	Amount	Remarks
61 to 90	\$1,000	Feb. 1, 1956	\$30,000	Outstanding
91 to 120	1,000	Feb. 1, 1957	30,000	Outstanding
121 to 150	1,000	Feb. 1, 1958	30,000	Outstanding
151 to 170	1,000	Feb. 1, 1959	20,000	Outstanding
171 to 190	1,000	Feb. 1, 1960	20,000	Outstanding
191 to 210	1,000	Feb. 1, 1961	20,000	Outstanding
211 to 230	1,000	Feb. 1, 1962	20,000	Outstanding
231 to 250	1,000	Feb. 1, 1963	20,000	Outstanding
251 to 270	1,000	Feb. 1, 1964	20,000	Outstanding
271 to 290	1,000	Feb. 1, 1965	20,000	Outstanding
291 to 310	1,000	Feb. 1, 1966	20,000	Outstanding
311 to 330	1,000	Feb. 1, 1967	20,000	Outstanding
331 to 350	1,000	Feb. 1, 1968	20,000	Outstanding
351 to 370	1,000	Feb. 1, 1969	20,000	Outstanding

\$310,000 outstanding December 31, 1955. Nos. 1 to 60 inclusive, \$60,000 paid.

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High School Addition Loan, 1954

\$295,000 authorized and issued. Dated October 1, 1954

Rate: 1.60%

Number	Denomination	Due	Amount	Remarks
21 to 40	\$1,000	Oct. 1, 1956	\$20,000	Outstanding
41 to 60	1,000	Oct. 1, 1957	20,000	Outstanding
61 to 80	1,000	Oct. 1, 1958	20,000	Outstanding
81 to 100	1,000	Oct. 1, 1959	20,000	Outstanding
101 to 120	1,000	Oct. 1, 1960	20,000	Outstanding
121 to 140	1,000	Oct. 1, 1961	20,000	Outstanding
141 to 160	1,000	Oct. 1, 1962	20,000	Outstanding
161 to 180	1,000	Oct. 1, 1963	20,000	Outstanding
181 to 200	1,000	Oct. 1, 1964	20,000	Outstanding
201 to 220	1,000	Oct. 1, 1965	20,000	Outstanding
221 to 235	1,000	Oct. 1, 1966	15,000	Outstanding
236 to 250	1,000	Oct. 1, 1967	15,000	Outstanding
251 to 265	1,000	Oct. 1, 1968	15,000	Outstanding
266 to 280	1,000	Oct. 1, 1969	15,000	Outstanding
281 to 295	1,000	Oct. 1, 1970	15,000	Outstanding

\$275,000 outstanding December 31, 1955. Nos. 1 to 20 inclusive, \$20,000 paid.

Sewer Construction Loan of 1950

\$70,000 authorized and issued. Dated August 1, 1950

Rate: 1.10%

Number	Denomination	Due	Amount	Remarks
51 to 60	\$1,000	Aug. 1, 1956	\$10,000	Outstanding
61 to 70	1,000	Aug. 1, 1957	10,000	Outstanding

\$20,000 outstanding December 31, 1955. Nos. 1 to 50 inclusive, \$50,000 paid.

Sewer Construction Loan 1951

\$75,000 authorized and issued. Dated October 1, 1951

Rate: 1.30%

Number	Denomination	Due	Amount	Remarks
46 to 55	\$1,000	Oct. 1, 1956	\$10,000	Outstanding
56 to 65	1,000	Oct. 1, 1957	10,000	Outstanding
66 to 75	1,000	Oct. 1, 1958	10,000	Outstanding

\$30,000 outstanding December 31, 1955. Nos. 1 to 45 inclusive, \$45,000 paid.

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Sewer Construction Loan of 1952

\$55,000 authorized and issued. Dated October 1, 1952

Rate: $1\frac{1}{2}\%$

Number	Denomination	Due	Amount	Remarks
34 to 44	\$1,000	Oct. 1, 1956	\$11,000	Outstanding
45 to 55	1,000	Oct. 1, 1957	11,000	Outstanding

\$22,000 outstanding December 31, 1955. Nos. 1 to 33 inclusive, \$33,000 paid.

Sewer Construction Loan of 1953—Town Notes

\$80,000 authorized and issued. Dated August 1, 1953

Rate: 1.80%

Number	Denomination	Due	Amount	Remarks
836	\$5,000	Aug. 1, 1956	\$5,000	Outstanding
837	5,000	Aug. 1, 1956	5,000	Outstanding
838	5,000	Aug. 1, 1956	5,000	Outstanding
839	5,000	Aug. 1, 1957	5,000	Outstanding
840	5,000	Aug. 1, 1957	5,000	Outstanding
841	5,000	Aug. 1, 1957	5,000	Outstanding
842	5,000	Aug. 1, 1958	5,000	Outstanding
843	5,000	Aug. 1, 1958	5,000	Outstanding
844	5,000	Aug. 1, 1958	5,000	Outstanding

\$45,000 outstanding December 31, 1955. Nos. 834 and 835, \$35,000 paid. Payable at the Boston Safe Deposit & Trust Company.

Sewer Construction Loan, 1954

\$75,000 authorized and issued. Dated October 1, 1954

Rate: 1.60%

Number	Denomination	Due	Amount	Remarks
11 to 20	\$1,000	Oct. 1, 1956	\$10,000	Outstanding
21 to 30	1,000	Oct. 1, 1957	10,000	Outstanding
31 to 40	1,000	Oct. 1, 1958	10,000	Outstanding
41 to 50	1,000	Oct. 1, 1959	10,000	Outstanding
51 to 60	1,000	Oct. 1, 1960	10,000	Outstanding
61 to 65	1,000	Oct. 1, 1961	5,000	Outstanding
66 to 70	1,000	Oct. 1, 1962	5,000	Outstanding
71 to 75	1,000	Oct. 1, 1963	5,000	Outstanding

\$65,000 outstanding December 31, 1955. Nos. 1 to 10 inclusive, \$10,000 paid.

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Fire Station Construction Loan of 1952

\$78,000 authorized and issued. Dated Oct. 1, 1952

Rate: $1\frac{1}{2}\%$

Number	Denomination	Due	Amount	Remarks
28 to 36	\$1,000	Oct. 1, 1956	\$9,000	Outstanding
37 to 45	1,000	Oct. 1, 1957	9,000	Outstanding
46 to 53	1,000	Oct. 1, 1958	8,000	Outstanding
54 to 58	1,000	Oct. 1, 1959	5,000	Outstanding
59 to 63	1,000	Oct. 1, 1960	5,000	Outstanding
64 to 68	1,000	Oct. 1, 1961	5,000	Outstanding
69 to 73	1,000	Oct. 1, 1962	5,000	Outstanding
74 to 78	1,000	Oct. 1, 1963	5,000	Outstanding

\$51,000 outstanding December 31, 1955. Nos. 1 to 27 inclusive, \$27,000 paid.

Sewer Construction Loan of 1955—Town Notes

\$70,000 authorized and issued. Dated July 1, 1955.

Rate: 1.50%

Number	Denomination	Due	Amount	Remarks
862	\$15,000	July 1, 1956	\$15,000	Outstanding
863	15,000	July 1, 1957	15,000	Outstanding
864	15,000	July 1, 1958	15,000	Outstanding
865, 6, 7	5,000	July 1, 1959	15,000	Outstanding
868, 9	5,000	July 1, 1960	10,000	Outstanding

\$70,000 outstanding December 31, 1955. None paid. Payable at the Boston Safe Deposit & Trust Company.

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FUNDED DEBT OF THE TOWN

Water Loan of 1927	\$ 2,000
Water Loan of 1928 (Feb.)	2,000
Water Loan of 1928 (Dec.)	6,000
Water Loan of 1941	2,000
Water Main Const. Loan of 1946	1,000
Elementary School Loan, 1950 — Series "A"	240,000
Elementary School Loan, 1950 — Series "B"	300,000
Glover School Const. Loan of 1952	310,000
High School Addition, 1954	275,000
Sewer Const. Loan of 1950	20,000
Sewer Const. Loan of 1951	30,000
Sewer Const. Loan of 1952	22,000
Sewer Const. Loan of 1953	45,000
Sewer Const. Loan of 1954	65,000
Sewer Const. Loan of 1955	70,000
Fire Station Const. Loan of 1952	51,000
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	\$1,441,000

FUNDED DEBT OF THE TOWN

Detail by Departments and by Maturities of all Bonds and/or Notes outstanding December 31, 1955.

	Water	Schools	Sewers	Fire Station	Totals
1956	\$ 9,000	\$140,000	\$ 71,000	\$ 9,000	\$ 229,000
1957	4,000	140,000	71,000	9,000	224,000
1958		140,000	50,000	8,000	198,000
1959		130,000	25,000	5,000	160,000
1960		130,000	20,000	5,000	155,000
1961		130,000	5,000	5,000	140,000
1962		40,000	5,000	5,000	50,000
1963		40,000	5,000	5,000	50,000
1964		40,000			40,000
1965		40,000			40,000
1966		35,000			35,000
1967		35,000			35,000
1968		35,000			35,000
1969		35,000			35,000
1970		15,000			15,000
Totals	\$13,000	\$1,125,000	\$252,000	\$51,000	\$1,441,000

REPORT
OF THE
SCHOOL COMMITTEE
AND THE
SEVENTY-SIXTH ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS
MILTON, MASSACHUSETTS
For the Year 1955

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REPORT OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

1955 - 1956

Mrs. Teresa P. Edwards	1956
202 Reedsdale Road, Milton	
Paul W. Knight	1956
14 Belvoir Road, Milton	
Mrs. Harriet M. Melley	1957
49 Plymouth Avenue, Milton	
Everett C. Myers	1957
7 Pagoda Street, Milton	
Harry E. Carlson	1958
166 Nahantan Avenue, Milton	
W. Gordon Swan	1958
18 Whitelawn Avenue, Milton	

ORGANIZATION

Paul W. Knight	Chairman
Mrs. Teresa P. Edwards	Secretary

MEETINGS

The Committee holds its regular meetings in the High School building on the first and third Tuesday evenings of each month at 7:30 o'clock.

SCHOOL CALENDAR 1955 - 1956

Schools open on Monday, September 19, 1955
Schools close on Friday, December 23, 1955
Schools open on Tuesday, January 3, 1956
Schools close on Tuesday, February 21, 1956
Schools open on Monday, February 27, 1956
Schools close on Friday, April 13, 1956
Schools open on Monday, April 23, 1956
Schools close on Friday, June 22, 1956
Schools will be closed also on October 12, November 11, 24, 25, 1955, March 30 and May 30, 1956.

REPORT OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Owen B. Kiernan, B.S., State Tchrs. Coll., Bridgewater
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Ed.D. Harvard University

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Frances E. Smith, 17 Oak Street, Milton

Superintendent's Clerks

Alice M. Ellis, 93 Oak Street, Milton
Dorothy B. Hersey, 156 Edge Hill Road, Milton
Edith E. Mullen, 180 Thacher Street, Milton

School Physicians

Dr. Lillian F. McMackin, 41 Windsor Road, Milton
Dr. Kenneth F. Sands, 278 Adams Street, Milton

School Dentist

Dr. John P. Herlihy, 48 Windsor Road, Milton

School Nurses

Elizabeth J. Furey, 163 Walsh Street, Medford
Isabel C. McGowan, 24 Hollis Street, Milton

Supervisor of Attendance

Joseph C. Ryan, 270 Blue Hill Avenue, Milton

REPORT OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE

REPORT OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE

To the Citizens of Milton:

In making its annual report on the status of the public schools of the town your School Committee wishes to express its deep appreciation to the continued and untiring efforts of our Superintendent of Schools, our principals and teachers, and all other staff members who have contributed so greatly to the improvement of the standards of our schools.

We are also deeply grateful for the co-operation of the officials in other town departments for their excellent co-operation in our behalf. Particularly do we wish to express to the members of the Milton Citizens Committee our thanks and congratulations in accepting and carrying out the work of exploring the several areas of our program in terms of the White House Conference on Education schedule of topic areas.

The accomplishments and objectives of the Committee are excellently stated in the Report of the Superintendent of Schools and we recommend them for your consideration.

Respectfully submitted,

PAUL W. KNIGHT, Chairman
TERESA P. EDWARDS, Secretary
HARRY E. CARLSON
HARRIET M. MELLEY
EVERETT C. MYERS
W. GORDON SWAN

REPORT OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

GENERAL EXPENSES

Receipts	Expenditures
APPROPRIATION for 1955 \$974,852.49	Administration
Encumbered Funds:	Superintendent \$ 12,000.00
Salaries 24.83	Use of Auto 350.00
Repairs and Replacements 804.00	Clerks 12,880.28
Boiler Replacements 20,697.00	Attendance Service 200.00
	Traveling Expenses:
	Within State 53.12
	Out-of-State 363.04
	Office Expenses 4,216.90
	Instruction
	Principals and Teachers 687,862.16
	Transportation Expense 603.14
	Clerks 11,050.49
	Textbooks 13,114.66
	Supplies 15,678.25
	Maintenance
	Repairs and Replacements ... 38,382.02
	Operation of Plant
	Supt. Buildings and Grounds . 5,784.58
	Use of Auto 250.00
	Mechanics' Wages 7,983.64
	Janitors' Wages 57,484.31
	Miscellaneous of Operation:
	School Truck 233.95
	Janitors' Supplies 5,278.26
	Fuel 20,149.64
	Light and Power 16,445.61
	Telephones 1,860.98
	Gas 1,191.89
	Water 1,081.32
	Auxiliary Agencies
	Libraries 1,649.10
	Promotion of Health:
	Physicians 2,745.00
	Nurse 3,094.44
	Use of Auto 250.00
	Medical Supplies 279.20
	Physical Education 2,765.41
	Transportation—Matrons 2,193.81
	Contracts and Tickets 23,101.57
	Miscellaneous of Auxiliary Agencies:
	Tuition 976.20
	Sundries 1,089.50
	School Lunch Program 3,850.00
	Driver Education Program . 445.27

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Addition to Plant	
New Grounds and Buildings .	9,355.78
New Equipment	6,450.87
Encumbered Funds	
Salaries	24.83
Repairs and Replacements ...	804.00
Boiler Replacements	20,697.00
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Total	\$994,270.22
Reverted, December 31, 1955:	
Salaries	2,020.61
General53
Out-of-State Travel	86.96
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\$996,378.32	\$996,378.32

REIMBURSEMENTS TO TOWN TREASURER

During Fiscal Year 1955

Reimbursement from State on account of Chapter 70 of the General Laws	\$98,567.69
Reimbursement from State on account of Chapter 71 of the General Laws	
(Special Classes)	4,379.07
Reimbursement from State on account of State Wards	4,042.35
Reimbursement from Non-Resident Pupils on account of tuition	780.47
Reimbursement from Milton schools on account of school activities:	
Driver Education Program	\$100.00
Manual Training	89.20
Use of School Buildings	130.00
Miscellaneous	639.73
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Total reimbursement to Town Treasurer on account of schools	\$108,728.51

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REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the Milton School Committee
Milton, Massachusetts

Mrs. Edwards, Mrs. Melley, and Gentlemen:

It is with considerable pleasure that I transmit to you and the citizens of Milton the annual report of the Public Schools. This report constitutes my fifth, and the seventy-sixth in the series submitted by the superintendents.

During 1955 the schools of America were more in public focus than at any time since the beginning of our country. President Eisenhower called it the "greatest re-examination of public education in history." It was he who was responsible for organizing local and state-wide conferences in the forty-eight states and five territories. This sweeping appraisal of schools and their associated problems culminated at the White House Conference on Education, held in Washington, D. C., November 28 through December 1. In view of the significant implications for schools everywhere, and the fact that your superintendent was honored in being chosen as a delegate to the national conference, it seems appropriate to devote the major portion of this report to the several outcomes and their relationship to the Public Schools of Milton.

Public schools today carry a bigger burden and fill a more vital role than at any other time in our history. No other people have ever demanded as much from their schools. This fact, coupled with tremendous enrollment, building, and operational problems places the need for improving the school systems of America squarely on its citizens. Prior to voting unlimited endorsements for the expansion and enrichment of the program, the citizens by means of local, state, and national conferences asked six penetrating questions. Under the umbrella-like structure of these six queries can be found the problems, strengths, and weaknesses of our school systems, *in toto*.

I. OBJECTIVES: What Should Our Schools Accomplish?

On all levels — local, state, and national — everyone agreed that the schools should teach reading, writing, and arithmetic. The 3 R's have been considered as basic fundamentals since the inception of America's public school system. Citizens are justified in asking that the public school graduate should be able to read, write, and speak fluently and effectively. In terms of his arithmetical interests and abilities, he should be able to handle with facility the number situations of daily life. In Milton, in addition to standard tests devised by teachers and department heads, the students annually are subjected to batteries of national achievement tests. Because these examinations are taken by many thousands of pupils from coast to coast, national norms are established by which we can gauge the effectiveness of our program. Rather consistently in all of the fundamental subjects, Milton's median scores place well above the national average.

A further indication of strength is found in the excellent reputation which Milton's secondary schools have established with the colleges and universities of the country. This is frequently expressed by college officials and sometimes by our graduates. Typical of their attitude is the expression of appreciation written by one of our graduates who is presently a senior in one of America's highly regarded collegiate institutions: "My four years at have been extremely rewarding in almost every respect and I imagine that they will appear in retrospect as perhaps the most fruitful and happiest years of my life. Obviously, therefore, I will never be able to underestimate the value of the two factors that made it all possible in the first place —

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namely my mother and father and the invaluable training received at Milton High. . . . You might be interested to know of the respect for Milton High School in this area, especially in the Admissions Office."

Beyond the 3 R's are basic fundamentals found in the peripheral subject areas — ancient and modern foreign languages, natural and physical sciences, social studies, art, music and numerous other cultural offerings. In these subjects the Milton product also attains his mark. Looking to the future, however, even greater emphasis must be placed on science training. The technological world in which we live makes necessary a proper understanding for a successful adjustment to this science age. On the other hand, with increasing leisure time a by-product of technological advancements, the cultural arts must receive a share of emphasis. In the field of art, we have not had an adequate program particularly on the secondary level. This situation should be corrected partially by the School Committee's plan to add an art teacher whose responsibilities will be solely in the junior and senior high schools. Lastly, but by no means least important in a balanced educational program, is the need for training in citizenship. Here again, although recognizing the numerous problems of youth, we find conclusive evidence indicating that our Milton boys and girls have an adequate understanding of the rights and responsibilities of meaningful citizenship. Their contributions both as students and mature citizens in later life, indicate the success of our present program.

II. ORGANIZATION: In What Ways Can We Organize Our School Systems More Efficiently and Economically?

This question is less applicable to a well-organized suburban school system such as Milton's, than to the outer-suburban and rural areas. Structurally, our K-6-3-3 system (elementary schools housing kindergarten and six grades; three-year junior high schools enrolling Grades VII, VIII, and IX; and a senior high school comprised of Grades X, XI, and XII) is considered one of the best. The size of our schools also falls in the optimum bracket. The two major organization problems which will be discussed in more comprehensive detail under the section on School Plant, involve the enrollment of both the Central Junior High and Senior High students under one roof, and the high pupil-teacher ratio existing in the Glover School.

The School Committee looks forward to the solution of the former problem in an article to be presented at the 1956 Annual Town Meeting asking for the preparation of plans for the construction of a West Junior High School on the Charles Sumner Pierce School site. The latter problem may have a temporary solution in re-districting but as the elementary school enrollments increase, the final answer will be found undoubtedly in a six-room addition to the present Glover School.

III. SCHOOL PLANT: What Are Our School Building Needs?

The over-riding question discussed locally, at the State Conference in Amherst, and in Washington was stated very simply: Are we keeping pace with current school building needs and reducing the backlog created by a depression and the restrictions placed on school construction during World War II?

Milton has approached its construction needs in a most orderly fashion. In succeeding annual reports, the School Committee spelled out the high priority need of replacing the Vose and Glover Schools, and the plant improvement involving the addition of a new physical education unit at the Senior High School. These steps have been accomplished with appropriations and bond issues so designed as to cause a minimum increase in the over-all tax burden. As stated in the above-mentioned report, future steps which must be faced in order to keep pace include the erection of another junior high school, an addition to the Glover School, and the replacement

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of the Belcher School. As indicated previously, the first-named need is designed to realize two benefits. First the construction of a new junior high school will place students of this early adolescent age in a building of their own. The educational advantages of a separate institution need little re-emphasis at this time. Both the Central Junior High School which tends to be subordinated by its housing arrangement with the Senior High School, and the latter institution as well, will operate far more efficiently and effectively as separate institutions. The sound plan of placing elementary and junior high school plants on the same site was started in 1935 with the Collicot and Cunningham Schools. The School and Building Committees, wishing to continue the idea, planned the Charles Sumner Pierce School with such a secondary addition in mind. General-use facilities were incorporated in the building, e.g., administrative offices, health suite, cafeteria, auditorium, heating and mechanical systems (with only minor adjustments necessary) with provision for both the elementary and junior high school units.

The second consideration centers on the fact that the Senior High School is not operating efficiently at the present time due to the presence of Central Junior High School students and the resulting crowding of facilities. The High School building now enrolls 1,102 pupils and of this number 440 are found in Grades VII, VIII, and IX. One year ago the same grades enrolled 378. With another large sixth grade moving forward in September 1956, the conditions will become increasingly worse. Areas which were never designed for classroom purposes are now being used the full thirty-five periods per week. As an example, with the exception of the Home Economics Laboratory and the Vocational Shops, no classroom use was envisioned for the basement areas in the building. Today the two rooms designed for the storing of girls' and boys' clothing are assigned class groups and another area built for storage purposes is used for an overflow cafeteria room. Modern standards of lighting and ventilation, to say nothing of the usual accessory facilities of a classroom, cannot be approached in such rooms. As stated, up to this point the Town has approved the building recommendations of the School Committee which have guaranteed an orderly school replacement and expansion program. It is hoped that the next step may be similarly endorsed so that the Town will continue to provide the highest standards of educational service for the boys and girls of Milton.

IV. TEACHERS: How Can We Get Enough Good Teachers—And Keep Them?

The following suggestions were received at the three conference levels with reference to answering this all-important question: (1) The prestige and status of teaching must be comparable to other professions within the community. (2) The salary structure must be high enough and flexible enough to compete effectively with other fields bidding for quality manpower. (3) The teacher's job must be so defined as to challenge and attract the interest of talented people.

It is a commonly accepted fact that our community over the years has been most fortunate in obtaining and holding competent staff members. There are many reasons for this among which would be found the reputation of the school system; the high-type residential community which describes Milton; salaries in the upper quarter of the schedule in this area; and many peripheral or fringe benefits associated with the system and community. However, since the White House Conference on Education, a nation-wide campaign has been gathering momentum to place the reimbursement for teaching on a more reasonable professional level. As of this date it appears that a majority of the neighboring school systems with which Milton usually compares itself are planning salary schedule revisions with the common minimum for those possessing the bachelor's degree placed at \$3400. The maximum salaries are being adjusted proportionately and in several cases attain or exceed the

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\$6,000 figure. This situation will increase the exceedingly sharp competition Milton faces from neighboring school systems and the attractive offers of business and industry. The latter competition has been felt already with the resulting critical shortage in competent science teachers. With these several factors in mind, the School Committee is continuing its study of adequate reimbursements for the professional staff and hopes that future salary schedule revisions will prove sufficient in maintaining our ability to attract and hold good teachers.

V. FINANCE: How Can We Finance Our Schools?

It is generally agreed that citizens want not only more schools to meet the sharply increasing enrollments, but better schools. Obviously the schools must demand larger budgets to carry out their varied assignments. The Washington Conference pointed again to the fact that the financing of schools rests heavily on the local taxpayer, but probed at considerable length the question of additional assistance from outside sources. At the present time the costs of operating a public school system in this area are carried almost entirely by real property assessments. Actually, during 1955 Milton contributed 89.2% of the operational budget, with the State carrying a 10.8% share. Under capital outlay, however, the State is underwriting the Pierce, Glover, and High School building projects in the amount of 20% of the over-all costs.

By a 2-to-1 margin the conferees at the White House Conference on Education voted that additional funds should be forthcoming for the support of our school systems through the State and Federal Governments. One major condition was voiced which received the endorsement of the School Committee and administration of the Milton Public Schools. This condition has to do with the continuance of operational controls at the local level. In this manner the schools will remain close to the people, which has been an underlying principle since the early Colonial laws relating to education, dating back to 1642.

VI. PUBLIC RELATIONS: How Can We Obtain A Continuing Interest in Education?

It is a widely accepted premise that schools are as good or as poor as the people wish them to be. Again in this problem area, Milton has been fortunate in developing and continuing a high degree of interest on the part of its citizens. In conjunction with the White House effort, the School Committee nominated a group of fifteen citizens to serve as the Milton Citizens Committee on Education and representatives were chosen from both public and private schools, from all faiths, from appropriate civic groups, from the professions, business and industry. Since last Spring this Committee has been at work appraising Milton's needs and recommending steps which will guarantee a continuing interest on the part of all residents. Two open meetings have been held at which citizen interest was surveyed and staff members participated in presenting a description of our educational offerings and the long-range needs of the system. Although these meetings were not well attended from the point of view of capacity audiences, nevertheless, all interests in the community were represented and an active participation was evidenced. Plans are presently being studied for the adoption of a conference schedule which will call for meetings at reasonable intervals to discuss all phases of the curricular and extra-curricular programs of our schools. These meetings should develop a grass roots support from which should stem an over-all program guaranteeing the finest school system possible.

In conjunction with the question of obtaining citizen interest nationally, it is noteworthy that the Westinghouse Broadcasting Company chose Milton as one of the school systems to be portrayed in a documentary television film on education, prepared for a nation-wide audience.

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General

Staff—In 1955 sixteen changes took place among instructional staff members. Compared with the personnel turnover throughout the state and nation, this represents an exceedingly low percentage. As stated earlier in this report, Milton continues to be a leader with respect to the retention of competent teachers. Among those leaving the system, three accepted teaching assignments abroad, three in other school systems, two were married, two assumed home responsibilities, one entered the superintendency, and three earned merited retirement.

The retiring staff members were the Misses Doris M. Dixon and E. Meredith Reed of the Central Junior High and Senior High respectively, and Mr. George L. Campbell, Principal of the Mary A. Cunningham Junior High School. Miss Dixon served in two administrative capacities, first joining the system in 1923 as Principal of the Tucker School, and transferring in 1927 as Assistant Principal of the Central Junior High School, which post she held until her retirement in June. Miss Reed came to Milton as a member of the Senior High School English Department in 1933, continuing this assignment for a period of twenty-two years. Mr. Campbell accepted his first appointment in Milton in 1925 as a teacher in the Central Junior and Senior High Schools. Following duties at this building which included coaching and the supervision of Student Council and Advisory Bureau activities, he was elected as the first principal of the Mary A. Cunningham Junior High School when it opened in 1935. Words can never express adequately the grateful appreciation of student body, staff, and citizens to these devoted educators whose aggregate service spans eighty-four years. Suffice it to say that their collective influence has made Milton a better place in which to live.

Although not a member of the teaching staff, it is appropriate at this time to pay due tribute to James A. Cullen who retired at the close of the school year as Senior Building Custodian at the High School. For three decades Mr. Cullen fulfilled his duties courteously and efficiently. Service of this caliber makes us increasingly aware of the importance of the conscientious custodian to the general welfare of the school system.

It was with considerable regret that the School Committee accepted the resignation of Maurice F. Smith, first Principal of the Charles Sumner Pierce School. Mr. Smith transferred in July to the Topsfield-Wenham School District to assume superintendency duties. His initial administrative task in Milton was completed in an exemplary manner. The School Committee and townspeople wish him well in his new and challenging assignment.

The departure of Messrs. Campbell and Smith from the Public Schools left two key administrative posts vacant. After a careful screening of candidates Mr. Benjamin J. Bump was chosen to administer the Pierce School and Mr. Otis R. Jason as Principal of the Cunningham Junior High School. The former comes to us after principalship experiences in the elementary schools of Lakeville, Harwich, Walpole, and Natick, as well as service as principal of the Whitman Junior High School. This background was sought in view of the future structure at the Pierce School which will include a junior high unit. Mr. Bump holds both bachelor's and master's degrees from the State Teachers College at Bridgewater. Additional study has been undertaken at Boston University, Harvard, and the Hyannis and Fitchburg Teachers Colleges.

Mr. Jason joins the Cunningham staff after service as principal of the Peter Thacher Junior High School in Attleboro. Prior to this professional work he had teaching and administrative experience in the Public Schools of Cohasset, Westminster, and Winchester. An army major during World War II, Mr. Jason's educational

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training includes a bachelor's degree from Middlebury, a master's degree from Boston University, and the Certificate of Advanced Graduate Study from Harvard.

Milton Schools Cited—During 1955 the Public Schools of Milton also gained nation-wide attention by means of a citation for its excellent pictorial publication "Focus on Learning". Mention was made in several national journals and requests for this type of report have been received from all sections of the United States. It will be recalled that the publication was designed to interpret for our citizens the program of the public schools from kindergarten beginnings through high school graduation and on into adult education. Favorable comment has been received also from many Milton residents concerning the worth of pictorial reports. At the present time it is our plan to publish documents similar to "Focus on Learning" on a spaced-interval basis, probably once in every five years.

Additionally, the schools received a commendation for the developmental program in the primary grades. As most parents and citizens are aware, in Milton a pupil does not attend school on a full-day basis until the beginning of the second grade. As is the case with other school systems, our kindergartens operate on a half-session basis. During the month of September, children enrolled in the first grade also are dismissed at noon and the afternoon given over to parent-teacher conferences, professional preparation, and similar activities. Commencing on the first Monday in October, the first grades shift over to our so-called "3-2 program".

Following tests and teacher evaluations during the month of September, the first grade pupils are grouped according to ability. In October and for the rest of the school year, those pupils in need of additional reading help report back on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday (3) afternoons. The more advanced divisions or groups report back on Tuesday and Thursday (2) afternoons.

In accordance with our established policy of limited class size (primary classes usually operate at 25-30 pupils or less), the afternoon classes are reduced to from 10 to 15 youngsters and in many cases fewer. This establishes an almost tutorial relationship and our teachers have found that considerably more work can be accomplished with the small afternoon group. Later tests have indicated rather conclusively that these smaller classes reflect gains in excess of those established by the full-day first grade classes in comparable school systems. The plan was reviewed this summer at a national conference by your executive officer and several school systems in different parts of the country are adopting this schedule for the next school year.

In closing may I record officially my sincere appreciation to staff and citizenry for continuing assistance and co-operation during the calendar year 1955. A special word of thanks is due the Chairman, Secretary and members of the School Committee for untiring effort directed toward the improvement of the Public Schools of Milton.

Respectfully submitted,

OWEN B. KIERNAN

Superintendent of Schools

REPORT OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE

REPORT OF THE PRINCIPAL OF THE HIGH AND CENTRAL JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOLS

Dear Dr. Kiernan:

The continued erection of additional one family residences in Milton despite the restrictive effect of careful zoning regulations postulates a serious secondary school housing condition. In this building there are thirty-two home rooms and thirty-five regular academic class divisions. Any day in any week it is not unusual to have transfer pupils as new enrollees. Frequently, before these new arrivals can be scheduled in various rooms, one must ascertain whether a comparable pupil has recently withdrawn or with relative safety an extra armchair may be placed in an aisle. The enrollment problem cannot be readily resolved by the simple expedient of more divisions. There are no more suitable rooms for additional sections. Surveys of class size and classroom utilization in this building indicate an extraordinarily high ratio of space usage. In some rooms there is apparent over usage.

Thirty-three years ago the Town of Milton supplanted the traditional 8-4 system with the newfledged 6-3-3 system. Because of Milton's small population the new junior high school unit was housed with the senior high school to obtain the advantages of the so-called special facilities of the modern senior high school such as a gymnasium, shops, cafeteria, cooking room, assembly hall, et cetera.

Conditions have now changed with the construction of other schools. Facilities for a well rounded program are no longer limited to senior high schools. They now characterize all twelve grades of modern school systems. Furthermore no educator propounds the theory that junior high school pupils profit educationally from their academic association with older pupils. They are overshadowed.

Twenty years ago a portion of the junior high school was removed to a new building in East Milton. The remaining portion ought to be removed as quickly as possible to a new building in the west side of the town. Central Junior High School pupils urgently need separate quarters. At present they can overflow only into the senior high school. But this is impractical since the senior high school need for more space is itself virtually imperative, almost legally obligatory.

Meanwhile some specialized senior high school services are dwarfed because of crowded housing. The school library for example is extremely inadequate, antiquated, and partially obsolete. Space, books, and a trained librarian are needed. Minimum adequate library services require at least three times the space now designated as the library. Actually at the present time our library room does not function mainly as a library. It is used every day as a study hall. The pupils who occupy the library study stations cannot be brushed into corridors. Nor can they be distributed for preparatory study among over crowded classes. They can of course be herded into the assembly hall. It is almost futile to attempt to remedy the library condition unless more space is available. At present library accommodations are too urgently needed for other purposes to be devoted exclusively to library usage.

Other specialized services are also handicapped by cramped and crowded conditions. These include space accommodations for guidance, audio-visual work, and routine emergency work by the school nurse. However, the bulging academic classroom divisions, which exceed a normal or suitable class size and which frequently surpass the seating capacity of the classrooms, are the primary factors that warrant immediate action to alleviate classroom conditions.

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Local trends, which have been obvious in recent years, continue. The holding power of the school is good. The enrollment increases gradually. More and more pupils elect the college preparatory curricula. More and more graduates pursue post secondary school education. Immediate employment opportunities grow both in number and in financial remuneration. Military obligations are siphoning away at graduation an increasing number of boys.

Progress in school administration is usually the result of long range planning. The instructional staff in this building is aware that in the planning the high school is only a part of the local system. It knows that there is an overall plan based on carefully prepared statistics with considered projection into the future.

The working corps welcomes the many tangible improvements which you and the school committee have installed. The modern lighting, oil heat, sound system, general maintenance, renovations of shops and cooking room, and the construction of a commodious gymnasium are very much appreciated.

The staff is also particularly grateful for the zeal and foresighted educational leadership so essential in these critical days of rapid changes.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE C. MARSDEN

Principal

REPORT OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE

REPORT OF THE PRINCIPAL OF THE MARY A. CUNNINGHAM JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

Dear Dr. Kiernan:

I herewith submit my first annual report.

This report was written after four challenging and interesting months as a member of the Milton Public Schools' administrative staff. Obviously over such a short period of time it would be impossible for any principal to gain a comprehensive understanding of the conditions and problems facing him in a new position. However, it has been my pleasure to spend considerable time observing classes and in conferences with pupils, parents, and teachers with the purpose of gaining some conception of the strengths and needs of the Cunningham Junior High School. Any comments then which follow on the general condition of the school, any observations made on the needs or reports of progress, are the direct outcome of these productive experiences.

Plant

The physical condition of the Cunningham School plant is, on the whole, excellent. The vision of the architect, the improvements made by the School Committee, and the excellent maintenance staff have resulted in an attractive, adequate educational structure. Its classrooms are large, attractive, and well-lighted. Its well-equipped gymnasium makes possible a well-rounded physical education program for boys and girls. It has a good library and laboratories. Its facilities for shop work and home-making courses are also well-suited for modern junior high school programs. The problem of adequate space in the cafeteria to compensate for the increased enrollment has been solved by instituting a double lunch period. This was made possible by the cooperation of the School Committee and Mr. Chester Ruggles, Principal of the Collicot School. The acoustical work done in the cafeteria during the Christmas recess period should add much to the pleasantness of the lunch periods.

Curriculum

A functional junior high school curriculum should offer opportunities to all pupils to develop to the fullest extent of their abilities in the fundamental subject matter fields, to pursue their special fields of interest, and to develop good habits of character and citizenship. To accomplish these objectives the following characteristics should be present:

1. teaching techniques which recognize that all children cannot proceed at the same pace but that all children can be taught good study habits and good work habits.
2. an enriched and varied program of studies which emphasizes the fundamental processes but which will provide a selection of subject matter to meet individual differences in needs, interests, and abilities.
3. an orientation and adjustment program which will bring about a natural and gradual transition from elementary to secondary education.
4. a program of pupil activities which will meet the needs of adolescent youth for self-expression. Children of junior high school age are active, energetic, and enthusiastic. The school should aim to harness this energy and direct it into proper

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channels. Well-organized activities such as clubs, assemblies, a student council, and intramural sports serve as healthful outlets for the enthusiasms of adolescent youth.

The curriculum of the Cunningham Junior High School has obviously been planned and developed with these objectives in mind. The program of studies compares favorably with other leading junior high schools. The fundamental processes, commonly called "the three R's," are properly emphasized and at the same time opportunities are available to meet special needs and interests in art, music, shop, and homemaking. The music opportunities are especially strong, notably in the instrumental field where both group and individual instruction are offered. The art program though somewhat limited will be improved next year with the contemplated addition of a new teacher to be shared with Central Junior High School. A well-organized intramural sports program is being carried on by qualified personnel under the leadership of Mr. Robert Raymond, Director of Health and Physical Education. A functional student council has existed for several years and does much to develop leadership, responsibility, and good school citizenship. A school newspaper is in the process of being organized and has attracted much interest and enthusiasm. It is hoped that other activities will develop as the need and the opportunity arise.

Personnel

There is no substitute for the master teacher in the total educational picture. A comprehensive curriculum and modern, adequate physical facilities are of little consequence unless good teachers are present to utilize them fully. Any modern educational program is chiefly dependent on a professional staff of able, enthusiastic and well-trained teachers. In this respect the Cunningham Junior High School seems to be outstanding. Its faculty is made up of a group of professional, well-trained, able individuals, obviously dedicated to the purpose of developing useful, responsible citizens. The morale of the teachers is high and it has been a deep pleasure to work with such a cooperative, helpful group these past months.

Community Relationships

A high degree of mutual understanding and cooperation between the school and home is an important factor in an effective educational program. The education of our children is a joint responsibility of the school and home, aided, of course, by the churches and other community organizations. It has been most pleasant to find here in Milton such a high degree of understanding and cooperation in parents. This has been apparent in the frequent and numerous visits of parents to the school and in the attendance of our first parents' night early in December. It is hoped that the new parents and faculty organization now in the process of being formed will strengthen and broaden this spirit.

Respectfully submitted,

OTIS R. JASON
Principal

REPORT OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

Dear Dr. Kiernan:

Physical examination of the girls in the seventh grades at the Cunningham and Central Junior High Schools, along with those of all new pupils, has been completed. Examinations of the girls in the eleventh grade have been completed at the Senior High School.

Dr. Kenneth Sands has completed the examination of the boys engaged in competitive sports and is ably nearing the completion of the examination of all new boys in the Central Junior High School and the Senior High School as well as those in the seventh grades.

Cafeteria workers, new to the system, have been examined and the yearly check-up of our regular kitchen employees has been completed.

Examination of the pupils in the elementary grades are proceeding with those in the third and fifth grades, being completed at the Collicot School.

This year finds a closer relationship being fostered between the family physician and the school health service. In reply to the form letter sent home, a notable number of families have taken the opportunity of having their children examined by their family physician. Results of such examinations are individually checked by the School Physician and then affixed to the child's school record. This procedure helps in the total evaluations of the child and in understanding any physical condition that may be under care.

At this time I wish to thank all my colleagues for their help in the above progress. Several new members have been added to the Health Department. I should like to extend a word of welcome to Dr. Kenneth Sands, Miss Elizabeth Furey, and Mrs. Isabel McGowan. It has been a privilege and a pleasure to work with them.

Respectfully submitted,

LILLIAN F. McMACKIN, M.D.

School Physician

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REPORT OF THE SCHOOL DENTIST

Dear Dr. Kiernan:

Children's dentistry involves more than the mere placing of restorations in order to provide children with the fullest benefits of dentistry. We must, and do, put emphasis on the prevention of dental disease as a prime factor in the maintenance of good oral health. Not only is this a much more effective approach to the control of dental disease, but it is also the more economical method. Preventive dentistry embraces two general areas of patient education and treatment.

First, formation of daily habits favorable to the continued integrity of dental structure is essential. A sound diet, properly masticated, should be coupled with correct and frequent tooth brushing or rinsing, especially after eating sweet foods. It might also be added that prompt attention to beginning cavities is necessary to avert more serious difficulty. Mrs. Helen Stasey has provided invaluable aid in instructing our young people in these all important dental health measures.

Secondly, the efficacy of fluoridation as a general dental public health measure has been well established. The results after ten years of a controlled water fluoridation study at Kingston and Newburg, New York, are now available.

During the past year, we enjoyed our efforts and your co-operation, Dr. Kiernan.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN P. HERLIHY, D.M.D.

School Dentist

REPORT OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL NURSE

Dear Dr. Kiernan:

The School Health Program has undergone several changes this past fall to improve its service.

Mrs. Isabelle McGowan, R.N., joined the School health team in September on a part-time basis. Audiometer and Vision Testing of all pupils except kindergarten is being done by her.

In October, forms were sent home to parents of students due to be examined this year, informing them of the coming physical examinations and encouraging them to have their children examined by their family physician. It is the family physician who knows the child, his environment and his past history. This background knowledge enables him to do a more comprehensive examination. School examinations are designed to find defects that are recognizable to the trained physician in a short period of time, and if defects are found, the child is referred to his family physician for clarification of diagnosis, further evaluation of the problem and treatment if needed. A good response was made and family physicians were most co-operative in completing forms sent to them through the student which recorded their findings for the health file.

Kenneth F. Sands, M.D., has filled the position left vacant by the retirement of George Winchester, M.D. Physical examinations on junior high and high school boys, as well as all candidates for competitive sports, are done by him. He is also in attendance at all high school football games to provide prompt medical attention for any injuries obtained in the game.

The standard health services described in detail in previous Annual Reports were continued and in some cases expanded. A contact with the Health Office should be made by those seeking additional information on the following: type and frequency of physical examinations, daily routine by nurse and staff, conservation of vision and hearing, emergency care, dental health, x-ray program, communicable disease and parasite control and prevention, and health education practices.

In carrying out my duties as School Nurse with the Milton Schools since September, I have relied on the counseling and assistance of Lillian McMackin, M.D., School Physician and Robert Raymond, Director of Health, Physical Education and Athletics. I would like to take this opportunity to express my sincere appreciation to them, to all the members of the school staff, the local Health Department and other organizations for their co-operation and assistance.

Respectfully submitted,

ELIZABETH J. FUREY, R.N.

School Nurse

REPORT OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE

REPORT OF THE SUPERVISOR OF ATTENDANCE

Dear Dr. Kiernan:

I hereby submit my report as Supervisor of Attendance for the calendar year.

Number of cases investigated	4
Number of personal calls made	5
Number of recorded telephone calls	2
Absences due to illness	0
Absences due to truancy	3
Milton Public School Pupils	3
Pupils of other schools	0

This report includes investigations of pupils living in Milton who attend public or private schools elsewhere as well as pupils who attend school in Milton.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH C. RYAN

Supervisor of Attendance

APPENDIX

SPECIAL REPORTS

AND

STATISTICS

QUOTATIONS FROM RULES AND REGULATIONS OF
THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE

1. Admission to Kindergarten and to First Grade

Section 66. Children who will be five (5) years of age before January 1 of the following year may be admitted to the Kindergarten during the month of September. Children whose residence in Milton began after the beginning of the school year may be admitted to school under the above conditions. Children who will be six (6) years of age before January 1 of the following year may be admitted to the first grade during the month of September.

2. Tuition Pupils

Section 90. The Public Schools and services thereof shall be considered for Milton residents only. Non-residents, however, may be admitted under certain extraordinary conditions at the following annual tuition rates: High School, \$325, (three hundred and twenty-five dollars); Junior High School \$275. (two hundred and seventy-five dollars); Elementary School \$200, (two hundred dollars); Special Class at Mary A. Cunningham, \$375, (three hundred and seventy-five dollars). Tuition is payable for such students *at the beginning* of each term and payments shall be forwarded to the Town Treasurer. Pupils whose term bills have not been paid at the end of the second week from the time the bills have been rendered shall be required to discontinue their attendance at school.

No School Signal

In the event of exceptionally severe weather conditions, or when the transportation system is disrupted, WBZ, WNAC, WEEI, WCOP, WHDH, and WJDA will broadcast the no-school announcement between 7:00 and 8:00 A.M. In addition, the signal 2-2 sounded four times on the fire alarm at:

7:15 means no school sessions for all schools for the entire day.

7:30 means no school sessions for all schools below the Junior High School for the entire day.

11:40 means no afternoon sessions for schools below the Junior High School. This signal will not be sounded if the 7:15 or 7:30 signal has been sounded.

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We feel these signals are clear and, therefore, urge parents and students to refrain from flooding the Radio Stations, Fire Department Headquarters, and homes of School Department personnel with telephone calls.

The widely varying conditions in several parts of Milton make it difficult to reach decisions equally fair to all interests. On days when the signal is not used, weather conditions may warrant the non-attendance of certain children. Lack of normal health would tend to make it advisable for parents to keep the child at home. Since weather reports are not always reliable, and since the School Department desires to render maximum education service by having the schools open the greatest number of days, storm signals *will not be used* on ordinary rainy or snowy days or when there is reasonable doubt.

RELATIVE DISTRIBUTION OF PUPILS

IN KINDERGARTEN, ELEMENTARY GRADES I-VI AND
SECONDARY OR HIGH SCHOOL GRADES VII-XII



KINDERGARTEN



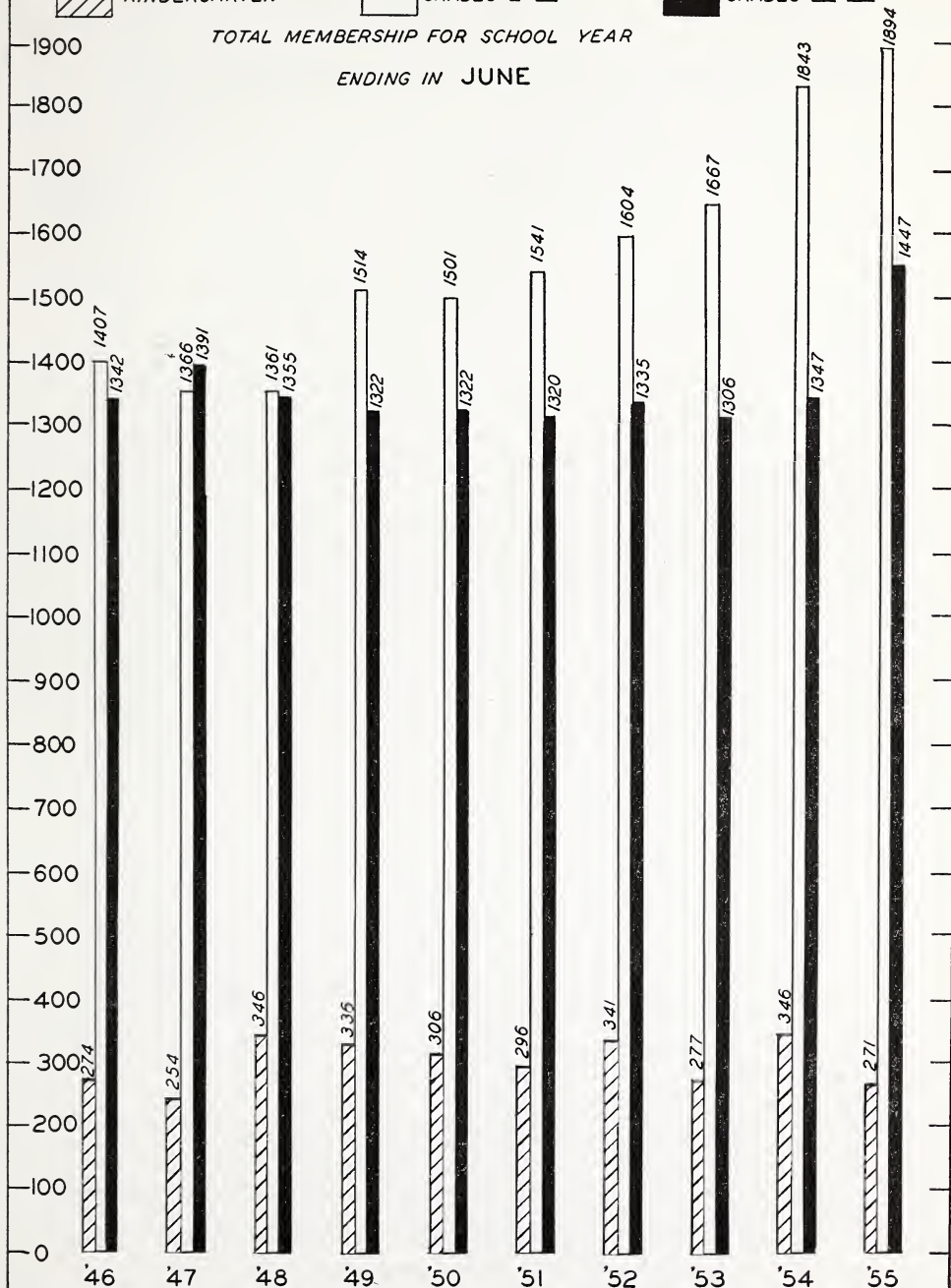
GRADES I-VI



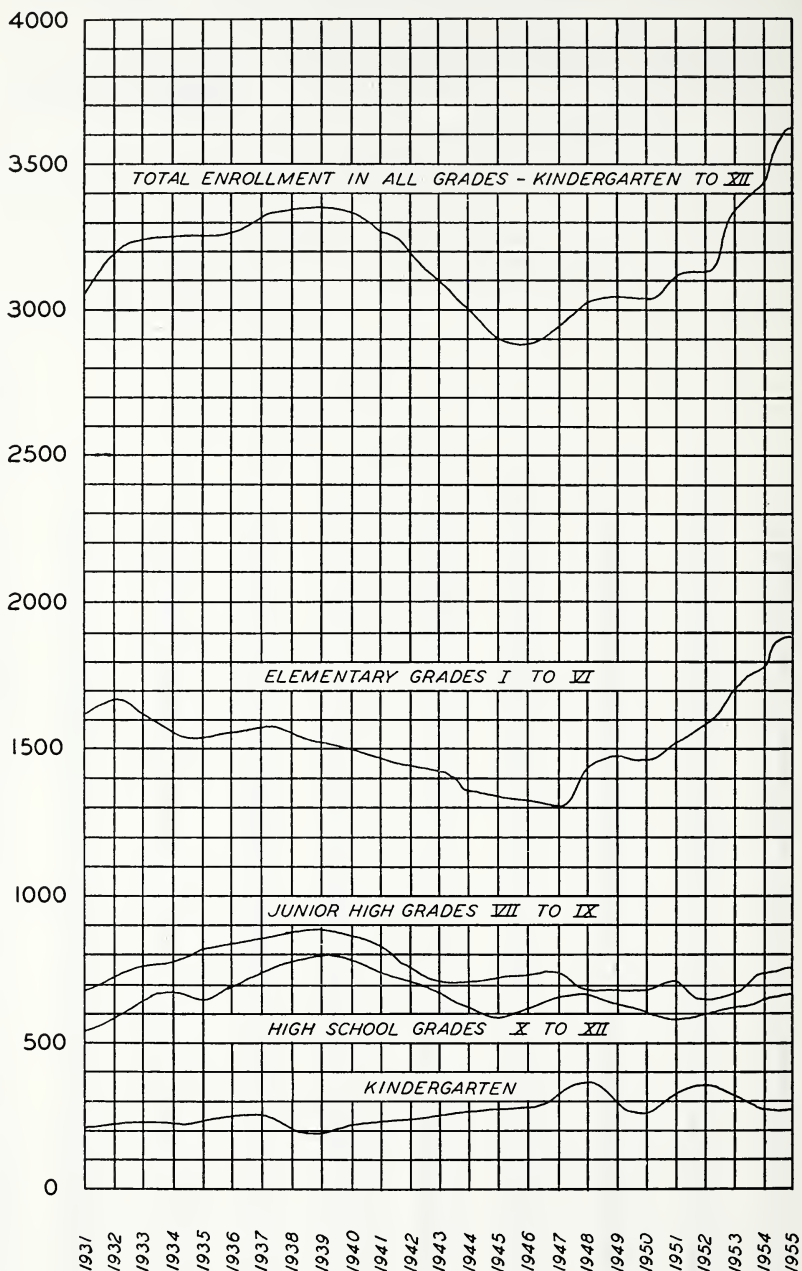
GRADES VII-XII

TOTAL MEMBERSHIP FOR SCHOOL YEAR

ENDING IN JUNE



TRENDS IN PUBLIC SCHOOL ENROLLMENT IN MILTON



THE NOVEMBER ENROLLMENT OF PUPILS IN EACH DIVISION OF THE SCHOOL SYSTEM YEARLY FROM 1931-1955 IN KINDERGARTEN, ELEMENTARY, JUNIOR HIGH AND HIGH SCHOOL.

REPORT OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE

ENROLLMENT AND ATTENDANCE FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR ENDING JUNE, 1955

Schools	Grades	Total Member- ship	Average Member- ship	Daily Average Attendance	Per Cent of Attendance
High	10-12	679	660	618	94
Central Junior High	7-9	395	379	355	94
Mary A. Cunningham Junior High	7-9	373	369	349	94
Belcher	6	31	29	27	92
	5	27	24	22	95
	4	35	33	31	93
	3	24	21	20	94
	2	20	19	17	93
	1	24	21	20	93
	Kindergarten	21	19	16	84
Totals		182	166	153	92
Collicot	6	31	29	27	94
	6	30	29	27	94
	5	30	27	26	93
	5	32	28	27	95
	5	28	27	26	95
	4	29	28	27	94
	4	32	27	25	94
	3	28	25	24	94
	3	26	25	23	93
	3	25	24	23	94
	2	36	36	34	94
	2	39	36	34	93
	1	27	24	22	92
	1	27	24	22	93
	1	29	24	22	90
	Kindergarten	35	29	24	84
	Kindergarten	31	28	24	87
Totals		515	470	437	92
Glover	6	34	34	32	94
	5	43	41	38	92
	4	32	30	28	93
	3	33	31	29	93
	2	36	35	33	94
	1	40	38	34	90
	Kindergarten	40	36	33	89
Totals		258	245	227	92

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ENROLLMENT AND ATTENDANCE — Continued

Schools	Grades	Total Member- ship	Average Member- ship	Average Daily Attendance	Per Cent of Attendance
Charles Sumner Pierce	6	31	30	27	91
	6	31	31	28	91
	6	31	30	28	92
	5	28	28	26	93
	5	29	28	26	94
	5	30	28	25	92
	4	26	26	24	93
	4	28	25	24	95
	4	26	25	24	95
	3	34	33	31	92
	3	36	33	30	92
	3	34	33	30	92
	2	31	28	26	93
	2	29	28	25	92
	2	29	28	26	92
	1	32	29	27	91
	1	30	29	26	89
	1	31	31	28	89
	Kindergarten	34	33	28	88
	Kindergarten	34	33	29	88
Totals		614	589	538	92
Tucker	6	31	30	28	92
	6	33	31	29	93
	6	32	30	28	94
	5	26	25	23	93
	5	27	27	25	93
	5	27	26	24	92
	4	25	25	24	94
	4	26	25	23	92
	3	34	33	30	92
	3	33	32	30	92
	3	34	33	30	91
	2	32	28	25	88
	2	30	29	26	89
	2	30	30	27	92
	1	33	32	29	90
	1	33	33	30	91
	1	34	31	29	92
	Kindergarten	40	39	34	88
	Kindergarten	36	35	29	84
Totals		596	574	523	91
Grand Totals		3,612	3,452	3,200	93

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MEMBERSHIP BY AGE AND GRADE, OCTOBER 1, 1955

Boys

Age*	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	Totals
Kgn.	33	135																168
1		34	98	4														131
2			39	132	5		1											177
3				37	108	14		1										155
4					44	109	8	1		1								163
5					5	52	75	8	1									141
6						3	50	99	20	3								175
7								47	95	25	4							171
8									54	95	21	1						171
9										34	56	16	1					107
10										2	51	48	19	8				123
11											41	57	24	4				126
12													31	64	7	1		103
13																		
Ungraded							2	2	2	4		1		1				12
Totals	33	169	132	173	157	178	136	158	172	164	173	123	75	77	7	1		1,928

Girls

Age*	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	Totals
Kgn.	18	100																118
1	2	31	78	3														114
2		3	41	107	3													154
3				47	94	3												144
4				8	72	71	4											155
5						48	64	4	1									117
6						1	47	71	10									129
7								58	80	6								144
8									68	68	2							138
9									1	54	43	8						106
10										1	57	48	1	3				110
11											1	48	45	8				102
12												3	51	38	5		1	98
13																		
Ungraded							2		1		1							4
Totals	20	134	119	165	169	123	117	133	161	129	104	107	97	49	5		1	1,633

*Four years up to five years; five years up to six, etc.

3,561

ROSTER OF PRINCIPALS AND TEACHERS IN MILTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS, JANUARY 1, 1956

High and Central Junior High Schools			
Name	Position or Subject	Education	Years in Milton
George C. Marsden	Principal	Bates College, A.B.; Harvard Univ., Ed.M.	28
Arthur J. Brimstine	Vice Principal, Guidance, Math.	Colby College, B.S.; Boston Univ., Ed.M.	30
E. Francis Kane	Submaster and Commercial	Salem N.S., B.E.; Boston College, Ed.M., LL.B.	26
Ida F. Berni	Principal's Secretary	Milton High School	39
Lydie A. Livezey	Principal's Clerk	Milton High School	29
High School			
Barbara H. Albrecht	English	Bridgewater S.T.C., B.S.; Boston Univ., Ed.M.	18
Richard C. Bailey	Shop and Aeronautics	Fitchburg S.T.C., B.S.Ed.; Hyannis S.T.C. Ed.M.; Maritime Academy, B.S. Engineering	6
Charlotte M. Bisson	French	Jackson College, A.B.	0
Doris A. Bridges	English	Tchrs. Coll., Columbia Univ., B.S., M.A.	23
John A. Carnie	Bookkeeping	Boston University, B.B.S., Ed.M.	18
Shirley Cave	English	Bates College, A.B.	10
Doris H. Chadwick	Latin	Smith College, A.B., Boston Univ., M.A.	28
Alice E. Conant	Physical Education	Sargent School, Boston University, B.S.	23
Nellie V. Dawes	Home Economics	Farmington Normal School, B.S.	20
Catherine E. Delaney	Stenography, Typewriting	University of Maine, B.S.Ed.	1
Charles M. Dunbar	Safety Education	Fitchburg Normal School	34
Ruth Dyas	English	Boston University, A.B.	25
Lottie A. Elzbut	Stenography, Typewriting	Boston University, B.S., C.S.M.	4
Thelma B. Foster	United States History	Boston University, B.S.	25
A. Irene Goddard	French	Boston University, A.B., M.A.	27
Harry B. McCormick	Hygiene, Physical Education	Springfield College, B.S.	11
Gertrude M. Miller	Guidance	Simmons Coll., B.S.; Harvard Univ., Ed.M.	27
Martha R. Murdock	Office Practice, Typewriting	Simmons Coll., B.S.; Boston Univ., Ed.M.	17
Norman N. Nevins	World & Mod. European History	Bowdoin Coll., A.B.; Bates College, Ed.M.	20
Edith E. Neylan	Law and Economics	Boston Univ., B.B.A.; M.C.S.; Portia, LL.B.	34
Dorothy E. Potter	English	Keene Teachers College, B. Ed.	0
George F. Ramacorti	American History	Boston University, B.S.Ed., M.Ed.	0
Paul J. Shute	Mechanical Drawing	Boston University, B.S.Ed., M.Ed.	5

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Name	Position or Subject	Education	Years in Milton
Howard A. Smith	Chemistry	Boston University, B.S., M.A.	21
Stanley F. Snell	Mathematics	Bates College, B.S.	24
John H. Stouffer	Physics	Cornell Coll., A.B., Columbia Un. T.C., M.A.	0
Norman G. Tardiff	U. S. History, Mathematics	Bates College, B.S.; Boston Univ., M.Ed.	7
Albert H. Thomann	Problems of Democracy	Tufts College, A.B.	1
Francis X. Tracy	English	Catholic Univ., A.B.; Boston College, M.A.	2
Ethel B. Wiley	Biology	Simmons College, B.S.	5

Central Junior High School

Arnold G. Adams	Mathematics	Bates Coll., B.S.; Boston University, Ed.M.	19
Ruth-Marie Ballard	English	Raddcliffe Coll., A.B.; Harvard Univ., Ed.M.	17
Max O. Brown	General Science, Biology	Acadia College, B.S.; Harvard Univ., Ed.M.	27
Rose M. Cooney	Science and Hygiene	Framingham S.T. College, B.S.	0
Ella E. Day	Geography, Art Appreciation	Farmington N.S.; Boston Univ., B.S., M.Ed.	15
Rose Depoyan	Mathematics	Raddcliffe Coll., A.B.; Harvard Univ., Ed.M.	25
Grace F. Goddard	English	Bates College, A.B.	25
Generosa C. Hagan	Home Economics	Regis College, B.S.	11
Elizabeth M. Johnston	Business Training	Boston State Teachers College, B.S.Ed., M.Ed.	1
Warren N. Lapworth	Physical Education	Columbia University, A.B.	0
Joseph M. Long	Printing	Boston S.T.C., B.S.; Suffolk Univ., M.Ed.	2
Carolyn MacKnight	History and Civics	Salem N.S.; Boston University, B.S.	34
Patricia E. Nelson	Latin	Tufts College, A.B.	4
Otis B. Oakman	History	Boston University, A.B., Ed.M.	18
Robert J. N. Osborn	English	Bridgewater N.S., B.S.; Boston Univ., Ed.M.	27
Hazel E. Patterson	Mathematics	Bridgewater Normal School	34
Fred A. Schoenherr	Electricity, Sheet Metal, W'working	Lowell Institute	35
Anna L. Strid	French and English	Bridgewater N.S.; Boston Univ., B.S., M.A.	34

Cunningham Junior High School

Otis R. Jason	Principal	Middlebury College, A.B.; Boston Univ., Ed.M.; Harvard University, C.A.G.S.	0
Jean Cruickshanks	Secretary	Fisher School	7
Donald E. Allison	Mathematics	Colby College, B.S.	20

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Nanna R. Benson	Special Class	Wheelock School, Hyannis S.T.C., B.S.	12
Charles J. Caddoo	Physical Education, Hygiene	Colby College, B.S.	13
Cecelia R. Campbell	English	N. Y. Univ., B.S.; Boston College, M.Ed.	14
Ethel M. Cowgill	History and Art	Bridgewater State Teachers College, B.S.	9
Margaret Q. Doyle	Physical Education, Hygiene	B. U. Sargent Coll., B.S.; Boston Coll., Ed.M.	15
Pauline F. Dundon	Special Class	Boston University, B.S.Ed.	4
Ellen F. Fahey	English	Bridgewater S.T.C., B.S.Ed.; B. U., M.Ed.	4
George F. Fellows	General Science	Tufts Coll., B.S.; Boston University, Ed.M.	23
Melvin H. Glazier	Mathematics	Middlebury College, B.S.	12
Dorothy V. Hebert	Latin and French	Univ. N.H., A.B.; Boston University, M.A.	26
Aavid L. Jacobson	History, Industrial Arts	Fitchburg N.S.; Boston University, B.S.	25
John A. Kvicala	English	Boston Coll., A.B.; Harvard University, A.M.T.	1
John M. Mathews	Industrial Arts	Fitchburg S.T.C., B.S.E.; Bridgewater S.T.C., M.Ed.	13
Margaret M. McGregor	Geography and Civics	Newburyport Training School	26
Marion E. Rhodes	Home Economics	Framingham State Teachers College, B.S.	12
Gerald H. Richardson	Industrial Arts	Fitch. S.T.C., B.S.Ed.; Tufts College, Ed.M.	0
Helen R. Welch	Commercial	Boston University, B.S.	20

Belcher School			
Lorinda M. Folsom	Principal	Salem S.T.C., B.S.; Boston Univ., M.Ed.	13
Manning W. Hamilton	Sixth	Boston University, B.S., M.Ed.	2
Margaret S. Carlson	Fifth	Boston N.S.; Boston S.T. College, B.S.Ed.	6
Clara Wetherbee	Fourth	Fitchburg Normal School, B.S.	23
Gertrude M. Lucey	Third	Smith College, A.B., Boston College, M.Ed.	9
G. Virginia Torrey	Second	Boston Univ., A.B.; Tufts College, M.Ed.	5
Ann V. Mullin	First	Framingham State Teachers College, B.S.Ed.	1
E. Lucille Marcus	Kindergarten	Lesley College, B.S.	5

Collicot School			
Chester W. Ruggles	Principal	Worcester S.T. College, B.S.Ed., M.Ed.	3
Betsy L. Tedeschi	Secretary (Part time)	Hardbarger Business College	0
William A. Tedeschi	Sixth	Boston University, B.S.Ed., M.Ed.	0
Jessie A. Baldwin	Sixth	Framingham N.S.; Boston University, B.S.	29
Jacqueline M. Bragg	Sixth	Hyannis S.T.C., B.S.Ed., M.Ed.	6

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Name	Position or Subject	Education	Years in Milton
Elsie M. Kelley	Fifth	Bridgewater Normal School	19
*Ellen A. McDermott	Fifth	Framingham Normal School	25
Mary B. Whitehead	Fifth (substitute)	Emmanuel College, A.B.	0
Mary C. Rae	Fourth	Smith College, A.B.	4
Elsie D. Thomas	Fourth	Hyannis Normal School	26
Barbara Purrington	Third	Mount Holyoke College, B.A.	1
Phyllis Esau	Third	Bridgewater S.T.C., B.S.; Boston Univ., M.Ed.	13
Edith M. Polley	Third	Fitchburg N.S., B.S.; Boston University, M.Ed.	21
Doris S. Cole	Second	Gorham Normal School	26
Virginia Holmes	Second	Boston University, B.S. Art Ed.	1
Dorothea A. Lazzari	Second	Boston Teachers College, B.S.Ed.	2
Alice J. Dwinell	First	Wheelock School; Boston University, B.S.	9
Margaret V. Douglass	First	Gorham Teachers College, B.S.	3
Gladys O. Bolton	Kindergarten	Wheelock School; Radcliffe College, A.B.	33
Betty A. Johnson	Kindergarten	Lesley College, B.S.	5

Glover School

Frances A. Murray	Principal	Salem N.S.; Bridgewater S.T.C., B.S.Ed.	26
Anthony J. Kirmil	Sixth	Worcester S.T.C., B.S.Ed.; Bridgewater S.T.C., M.Ed.	2
Anna M. Olson	Fifth	Univ. of Vermont, B.A.; Boston Univ., Ed.M.	0
Selina M. Gibbons	Fourth	Miss Nell's School	18
Barbara A. Holub	Third	Bridgewater S.T.C., B.S.Ed., M.Ed.	0
Catherine M. Bates	Second	Boston University, B.S.Ed.	0
Helen M. Kelley	First	Boston State Teachers College, B.S.Ed.	2
Miriam Jeffries	Kindergarten	Wheelock College, B.S.	4

Pierce School

Benjamin J. Bump	Principal	Bridgewater S.T.C., B.S.Ed., M.Ed.	0
Mary B. Devine	Secretary (Part time Tucker)	Boston University, B.S.	3
M. Elsie Hachey	Sixth	Plymouth Teachers College, B.Ed.	5
Eleanor C. Blaine	Sixth	Bridgewater S.T.C., B.S.Ed.; Hyannis S.T.C., M.S.Ed.	2
Leonard A. Silveira	Sixth	Boston University, B.S., M.Ed.	3

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Louise R. Thompson	Fifth	Boston University, B.S., M.Ed.	19
Doris A. Tucker	Fifth	Boston University, B.S., M.Ed.	8
Leo P. Dauwer, Jr.	Fifth	Boston University, B.S.Ed., Boston College, M.Ed.	0
Rachel B. Allbee	Fourth	Boston University, B.S.Ed.	3
Dorothy L. Shaw	Fourth	Hyannis N.S.; Teachers Coll., Columbia Univ., B.S., M.A.	2
Barbara Stanwood	Fourth	Boston University, A.B.	1
Helen I. Ellis	Third	Wheelock School	12
Evelyn E. Martin	Third	Wheelock School	30
Patricia R. Bruce	Third	Lesley College, B.S.Ed.	1
Pauline M. Donahue	Second	Bridgewater S.T.C., B.S.Ed.; Boston Univ., M.Ed.	4
Marjorie A. Wanzer	Second	Framingham S.T.C., B.S.Ed.	0
Marie B. Finnegan	Second	Lesley College, B.S.Ed.	1
Eleanor A. Miller	First	Vassar College, A.B.; Boston Univ., M.Ed.	10
Beatrice M. Mullins	First	Suffolk University, A.B.	1
Teresa A. Mack	First	Framingham S.T. College, B.S.Ed.	0
Anne V. Hopkins	Kindergarten	Lesley School	11
Mary M. Pitman	Kindergarten	Wheelock College, B.S.	11

Tucker School

Eileen E. Reilly	Principal	Gorham N.S.; Boston Univ., B.S.Ed., Ed.M.	2
Mary B. Devine	Secretary (Part time Pierce)	Boston University, B.S.	3
Gertrude H. Falt	Sixth	Gorham Normal School	10
Florence M. Barden	Sixth	Keene N.S.; N. E. Conservatory of Music	7
Wayne E. Thomas	Sixth	Bridgewater S.T.C., B.S.Ed.	1
Mary I. Jokinen	Fifth	Framingham State Teachers College, B.S.	9
Doris G. Norton	Fifth	Newburyport Training School	26
Eleanor F. McKinnon	Fourth	Emmanuel College, B.S.	1
Mary F. Halliday	Fourth	Miss Neil's School; Hyannis Normal School	26
M. Emelene Wishart	Fourth	Fitchburg N.S.; Boston University, B.S.	32
Carolyn J. McSherry	Third	Lesley College, B.S.Ed.	3
Anna H. Wilder	Third	Perry Kgn. N.S.; Boston University, B.S.	11
Karen M. Quinn	Third	Boston University, B.M.	0
M. Gertrude Devlin	Second	Our Lady of Mercy, B.A.; Boston Univ., Ed.M.	1
Irene J. Malik	Second	Salem S.T.C., B.S.; Boston Univ., Ed.M.	8

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Name	Position or Subject	Education	Years in Milton
Dorothy Russell	Second	Bridgewater S.T.C., B.S., M.Ed.	9
Ellen R. Ochs	First	Boston Normal School	6
Mildred A. Soule	First	Bridgewater Normal School	28
Helen L. Whitcomb	First	Gorham N.S.; Boston University, B.S.	21
Catherine M. Watson	Kindergarten	Wheeler School	29
Ann C. Peters	Kindergarten	Wellesley College, B.A.	1

Supervisors, Directors and Special Teachers

H. Dora Hamlin	Supervisor of Art	Mass. School of Art, B.S.	16
Margaret B. Heald	Assistant Supervisor of Music	Bridgewater N.S.; Boston University, B.S.	32
Elizabeth A. Hegner	Teacher of Homemaking	St. Elizabeth College, B.S.	1
Alice E. McCoy	Teacher of Physical Education	Boston University Sargent College, B.S.	19
Robert E. Raymond	Director of Health, Phys. Ed., Ath.	Springfield College, B.S., M.S.	1
Fred A. Schoenherr	Supervisor of Manual Arts	Lowell Institute	35
Miriam G. Schoenherr	Supervisor Evening P.A. Classes	Framingham Normal School	9
Francis W. Tatro	Supervisor of Music	N. E. Conservatory of Music, B.M.	9
Jane C. Wagoner	Supervisor of Audio-Visual Ed.	Wellesley College, B.A.; Boston Univ., M.A.	6

*Leave of Absence

REPORT OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE

In Memoriam

ROBERT W. McTAGGART

Custodian — Milton High School

September 21, 1955

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DIVISION OF BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS

Robert J. Gordon, Superintendent, 434 Brook Road, Milton
George A. Keith, School Mechanic, 80 Reservation Road, Milton
Michael J. Mahoney, Assistant Mechanic, 142 Warren Avenue, Milton

Custodians

High School

Thomas F. Taylor, 67 Oak Street, Milton
Chester V. Driscoll, 105 Thacher Street, Milton
James C. Park, 515 Pleasant Street, Milton
Charles J. Pierce, 14 Rock View Road, Milton
Walter T. Byrnes, 46 Willoughby Road, Milton

Mary A. Cunningham Junior High School

Eugene S. Beless, 96 Waldeck Road, Milton
John J. Campbell, 37 Horton Place, Milton
Kenneth W. Ross, 27 Barry Street, West Quincy
Stanley F. Bentley, 56 Hudson Street, Milton

Belcher School

Leo P. Carey, 7 Catherine Road, Milton

Collicot School

Maurice Spillane, 243 Eliot Street, Milton
Vincent A. Hayes, 19 Horton Place, Milton

Pierce School

James F. Driscoll, Jr., 30 West Street, Randolph
Henry B. Maloney, 92 Waldeck Road, Milton
John H. Walker, Jr., 15 Horton Place, Milton

Tucker School

Chester W. Currier, 35 Aberdeen Road, Milton
John L. Grant, 128 Blue Hill Avenue, Milton

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DIVISION OF CAFETERIAS

Dorothy L. Callahan, Director of Cafeterias, 97 Standish Avenue, Wollaston
M, Marguerite Pinkerton, Clerk (part time), 40 Essex Road, Milton

High School

Elin H. Ohrstrom, 4 Kahler Avenue, Milton
Eva Rosato, 78 Meagher Avenue, Milton
Eleanor E. Ladd, 15 Frothingham Street, Milton
Christina Fitzpatrick, 26 Norman Street, Milton
Julia Naughton, 493 Central Avenue, Milton
Virginia M. Kennedy, 57 Elton Road, Milton
Helen A. Stevens, 78 Revere Street, Milton

Mary A. Cunningham Junior High School

Harriet F. Britt, 11 Kahler Avenue, Milton
Mary A. Maloney, 92 Waldeck Road, Milton
Anne R. Curley, 11 Westvale Road, Milton
Edith V. Mason, 33 Lawrence Road, Milton
Hazel M. McInnis, 11 Elton Road, Milton
Grace H. Frederick, 19 Glendale Road, Milton

Glover School

Phyllis H. Payne, 26 Glendale Road, Milton
Mary J. Marchese, 12 Frothingham Street, Milton

Pierce School

Glenna W. Sneider, 59 Greenleaf Street, Quincy
Lillian M. Driscoll, 39 Park Street, Milton
Sarah A. Beless, 96 Waldeck Road, Milton
Ellen A. Parrell, 402 Reedsdale Road, Milton

BUS MATRONS

Lorinda G. Bruce, 567 Eliot Street, Milton
*Elizabeth C. Hiltz, 41 Churchill Street, Milton
Mary M. Gilpin, 338 Blue Hill Avenue, Milton
Florence A. Homer, 85 Oak Street, Milton
*Leave of absence

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HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATING CLASS OF 1955

Kenneth Debes Alman	Patricia Ann Florence
Eleanor Isabelle Anapolsky	Stephen Harvey Gamm
Burnham Haven Baker	Robert James Gerber
Ivar Martin Baker	Sue Carol Gerke
Daniel Edward Bannan, Jr.	Ronald James Geromini
Eleanor Ruth Bean	Glen Warren Gordon
Frederick Lewis Bell	D. Robert Gori, Jr.
Martha Jean Bell	Rhoda Toby Gotz
John Preston Bent	Robert James Graham
Robert Allan Bolles	Carole Cecile Greenberg
Ernest Aurelio BonAnno	Gordon Schuyler Grose
Robert Dodd Bradshaw	Joanne Frances Haley
Theodore Richard Carlmark	Virginia Marie Haley
Flora Ruth Carlson	Kenneth Elliot Hall
Elizabeth Emma Cavanagh	Robert William Hall
John Joseph Clasby	Bruce Halliday
Sidney Allen Cohen	Barbara Jean Hambro
Joanne Roberta Coleman	Amelia Emily Hanson
Barbara Ann Collins	John Francis Harris
Charles Henry Collins, III	John Andrew Harvey
Patricia Ann Connor	Thomas William Hawkins, Jr.
Christine Suzanne Cooper	Theresa Gertrude Hayes
Frederick James Coughlan	Barbara Evelyn Hill
Paul John Covell	Joanna Catherine Hill
John Arthur Cronin	Shirley Mae Hill
Marjorie Ann Cronk	Carol Anne Hirtle
Richard Patrick Crowley	Mary Lillian Hirtle
Norman Carl Dahlbo	Jeannette Beatrice Hogan
Nancy Ann Daley	Philip Alwyn Holden
Kathleen Anne Daly	Margaret Ann Holmes
Gilles Marie-Joseph Delouis	Jane Lee Hopkins
Richard Louis Desmond	Barbara Ann Marie Hourihan
Daniel Eugene Dexter	Diane Emily Howie
Nancy Alice Doe	James Ireland
JoAnne Weldon Doherty	Carol Jackson
William Gerard Doherty	Myrna Susan Jaspan
Carolyn Stevens Donick	Elizabeth Ruth Johnson
Paul Bannister Douglass	Marcia Ann Johnston
James Joseph Driscoll	Grace Carol Joyce
Jerome Vincent Driscoll, Jr.	William Louis Kantaros
Joyce Carol Driscoll	Fay Kaplan
William Joseph Driscoll	Gerald Paul Kaplan
Frederick Kingston Dugan	Leonard Jason Karlin
Patricia Ann Fahey	Priscilla Joanne Kaupp
John Gabriel Fall	Norma Jean Kavanagh
James Edward Fallon	Eugene Lawrence Kearney
Thomas Henry Fallon	Paul Joseph Kearney
William Francis Ferry	Joseph Michael Kelliher
Virginia Marie Fitz	Christine Marie Kelly
David Edward Fitzgerald	Marie Margaret Kenneally
Barbara Jo-Anna Flaherty	Phyllis Alice Kennedy
James Michael Flaherty	Michael Anthony Kirby

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Arthur Paul Lagace
 John Edward Lane
 Helen Ruth Laurie
 Deanne Marie L'Ecuyer
 Theodora Marie Lee
 Nancy Maureen Levins
 Carol Ruth Levitt
 Gary Benjamin Lewis
 Alan Joseph Linehan
 Richard Francis Lishman
 Grace Marilyn Lodge
 John Michael Lydon
 Barbara Mary Lyons
 David Ellsworth Macdonald
 William Warren MacDonald
 Kenneth Roberts Madden
 Nancy Marie Mahoney
 Phyllis Anne Manning
 Raymond March, Jr.
 Gerald Daniel Martin
 Laura-Jean Mashrick
 Ann Mathewson
 Robert Denny McAuliffe
 Marie Frances McCabe
 Carol Ann McDonnell
 Kathleen Ellen McDonough
 Janet Marie McGrath
 Martha Jane McInnes
 Irene Margaret McInnis
 Carole Anne McIntire
 Robert Donald McKelvey
 Lynne Marie McKinnon
 John Edward McMorrow, Jr.
 Marion Francis McNamara
 William Miller Meeken, Jr.
 Joanne Marie Meyer
 Mary Elizabeth Moran
 Anne Marie Moreng
 Barbara Gay Morfield
 Frank Vincent Morris
 Myrna Ruth Moseon
 Regina Marie Mullen
 John Francis Mulligan
 Arthur Paul Murphy
 John Frederick Murray
 Ellen Therese Neville
 Richard Michael Noris
 Gerald Lawrence O'Connell
 Paul William O'Connor
 Katherine Ann O'Donnell
 Robert Michael O'Malley
 Judith Gleason O'Neill
 Patricia Ann O'Neill

Elizabeth Ann Oxner
 Catherine Elizabeth Panos
 Arthur Nicholas Papas
 James Crowder Parham, Jr.
 Elena Barbara Pasquale
 Frederick William Pollini
 Ann-Mary Rose Potter
 Richard Achille Presutti
 Evelyn May Pulkinen
 Jean Pulsifer
 Virginia Marie Punch
 John Carlton Pursell
 William Updyke Pursell, Jr.
 Janet Winifred Reardon
 John James Regan
 Carol Andrews Reid
 William Barden Richardson
 Robert William Robins
 Jacquelyn Lee Roeder
 Kathleen Helen Roemer
 Paul Joseph Roessel
 Elizabeth Halliday Ross
 Katherine Marie Sacco
 Nia Sanstrom
 John Thomas Scales
 Barbara Sheila Schlossberg
 Wayne Melvin Scott
 Shirley Joan Scroggs
 Edward Joseph Shaughnessy
 Robert Frederick Simmons
 Sandra Lee Simon
 Harold Sinclair
 Ruth Elizabeth Skinner
 Stephen Joseph Slack, III
 Anne Marie Frances Smigiani
 Robert White Smith
 Edward Kendall Snow
 Nancy Stearns
 Frank Edward Sullivan
 Roger Walter Swan
 David Otis Sweet
 Margaret Catherine Tevnan
 Alice Maureen Thompson
 Daryl Ann Thomson
 Carol Ann Treanor
 Gordon Richard Troungo
 Gerald Gregory Twomey
 Barbara Ulman
 Lois van Gestel
 Dorothy Marie Wallace
 Lorraine Marie Walsh
 Francis James Ward
 Edward James Wheeler

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Sandra Stuart Whelpley
Thomas Williamson

Edward Joseph Woelfel
Barbara Ruth Zwicker

Honor Roll

Burnham Baker
Robert Bradshaw
Theodore Carlmark
Nancy Daley
Barbara Flaherty
Stephen Gamm
Sue Gerke
Glen Gordon
Fay Kaplan
Priscilla Kaupp
Norma Kavanagh
Arthur Lagace
Carol Levitt
Laura-Jean Mashrick
Robert McAuliffe

Marion McNamara
Joanne Meyer
Mary Moran
Richard Noris
Katherine O'Donnell
Patricia O'Neill
Arthur Papas
James Parham
Ann-Mary Potter
Virginia Punch
Carol Reid
Jacquelyn Roeder
Nia Sanstrom
Sandra Simon
Alice Thompson
Barbara Ulman

Members of the graduation honor roll have earned certificate marks
in requirements of the senior high school course.

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STATISTICS OF CLASS OF 1955 — MILTON HIGH SCHOOL

Total Number of Pupils in Class — 214

	Boys	Girls	Total
Colleges and other Educational Institutions	54	69	123
Graduate Course — Independent Schools	10	0	10
Totals	64	69	133
In the Military Service of the United States	17	0	17
American Field Service Student, returned to France	1	0	1
With Admiral Richard E. Byrd on South Pole Expedition	1	0	1
At work	21	38	59
Married	0	2	2
Prolonged Hospital Illness	0	1	1
	104	110	214

The above statistics are as of December 31, 1955.

Educational Institutions now being attended by Graduates of Class of 1955

Archbishop Cushing Junior College 3	Higgins Commercial Machine School 1
Bates College 3	Holy Cross College 1
Boston College 3	Household Nursing Association 1
Boston Dispensary School 3	Huntington School 4
Boston State Teachers College 2	Jackson College 1
Boston University 13	Katharine Gibbs School 1
Bowdoin College 1	Lasell Junior College 1
Brandeis University 1	Massachusetts Institute of Technology 1
Bridgewater State Teachers College 2	Mt. Auburn School of Nursing 1
Brown University 1	Mt. Ida Junior College 2
Bryant & Stratton Business School 1	Mt. Sinai School of Nursing, N. Y. 1
Cambridge Junior College 1	New England Conservatory of Music 1
Catherine Labouré School of Nursing 3	Newman Preparatory School 3
Cedar Crest College 1	Newton College of the Sacred Heart 1
Centenary Junior College 1	Northeastern University 11
Chamberlayne Junior College 1	Pennsylvania State College 1
Chandler School for Women 4	John Roberts Powers School 1
Chauncy Hall School 1	Quincy City Hospital School of Nursing 1
Chelsea Memorial Hospital School of Nursing 1	Radcliffe College 1
Colby Junior College 1	Simmons College 3
Connecticut College 1	Stockbridge School of Agriculture 2
Cornell University 1	Stonehill College 2
Eastern Nazarene College 1	Thayer Academy 1
Emerson College 1	Tilton School, N. H. 1
Emmanuel College 4	Tufts University 3
Fisher Junior College 2	University of Massachusetts 5
Forsyth School for Dental Hygienists 1	University of New Hampshire 1
Framingham State Teachers College 3	University of Notre Dame 2
Franklin Institute 1	University of Pennsylvania 2
Garland Junior College 2	Washington College, Maryland 1
Gorham Teachers College, Maine 1	Wentworth Institute 2
Green Mountain Junior College 2	Wheaton College, Illinois 1
Harvard University 2	Worcester Polytechnic Institute 3

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MILTON HIGH SCHOOL

EIGHTY-FIFTH GRADUATION EXERCISES

Class of 1955

ON THE CAMPUS

WEDNESDAY EVENING, JUNE 8, 1955

PROGRAM

PROCESSIONAL MARCH—"Mutual" *Bennett*

INVOCATION RABBI JACOB HOCHMAN

"May the Good Lord Bless You and Keep You" *Willson*

"A Graduation Prayer" *Yahres*

SENIOR CLASS GLEE CLUB

OUR AMERICAN HERITAGE

Our Economic Heritage

STEPHEN GAMM

Our Cultural Heritage

LAURA-JEAN MASHRICK

Our Political Heritage

RICHARD DESMOND

PRESENTATION OF CLASS GIFT

THOMAS WILLIAMSON

President of Class

PRESENTATION OF AWARDS

Milton Rotary Club Scholarship

Girls' League Scholarships

Milton Woman's Club

Afternoon Division Scholarships

Evening Division Scholarship

Milton Players' Scholarship

Francis M. Mahoney Memorial Scholarship

Lester C. Fulton Scholarship

Women of the Rotary Club Scholarship

Milton Teachers' Association Scholarships

Student Council Scholarship

Milton Town Club Scholarship

Parent-Teacher Association Scholarships

Jesse B. Baxter Scholarship

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Milton Woman's Club Art Award
Milton High School History Prize
Milton High School English Prize
Milton Public Library Reading Award
Clarence Boylston Science Prize
Carrie E. White Music Award
Milton B.P.O.E.

Boys' Leadership Plaque
Girls' Leadership Plaque

Henrietta T. Hallowell Citizenship Prize
Hiram Tuell Citizenship Prize

DR. OWEN B. KIERNAN

SCHOOL SONG—"Allegiance"

"The Star-Spangled Banner" *John Stafford Smith*

PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS

MR. PAUL W. KNIGHT
MR. GEORGE C. MARSDEN

RECESSIONAL—"Service" *Bennett*





